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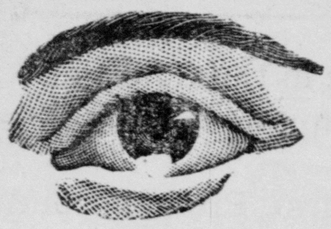

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INITIATIVE AND REFERENDUM

Shawnee, Jan. 28.—After the Legislature adjourns the Sons of Washington, heart of the anti-prohibition movement, will petition Gov. Haskell to call a special election on a bill which is now being drafted by W. D. Cardwell and which will be presented signed by 40,000 names, enough to insure its submission to the people under the initiative clause of the constitution. This method is pursued instead of asking for legislation because the Sons of Washington want a law which they expect submitted without any hampering by the Legislature.

Teachers' Examinations.

The examination of teachers is concluded this evening and they depart for their respective homes.

Phil McLachlan of Dolberg, and Bunyan Smith of Homer school, attended today.

The examining board composed of County Superintendent Pierce, A. L. Norton and A. L. Fentem, is completing the grades of the teachers, this evening.

THE NEWS MAKES APPEAL.

After a continuous publication of a daily paper for five full years in a city only eight years old and at a loss with which the business public has been frankly made acquainted, will any Ada citizen criticise the action of the editor after he has exhausted all his readily convertable resources in the support of the respectable maintenance of the daily edition of the News, when he throws up his hands and takes the business public into his entire confidence concerning the future requirements of such publication.

The News editor, of the optimistic school, has thought from season to season that a general commercial growth was just ahead, which would enable the daily to pay its own way, but alas and alack, such realization has been as chimerical as the dear lady with the bag of gold at the end of the rain bow. But with it all, we do not suffer with regret on account of the manner of the life of Ada's daily paper or the losses which have been sustained, for on the whole, under all the circumstances, the Ada public has extended its daily publication kindly treatment.

Since the News proprietor has issued letter of announcement that the Daily News must secure an additional advertising support in order to maintain an uninterrupted, respectable daily publication, there has resulted some embarrassment to him through the extravagant view of one or two industrious, but miserably lame minds, that the printed and distributed candid statement that he had reached the end of his readily convertable outside resources was nothing more or less than a little prelude to his "going broke." Fearing that such "going broke" prediction might secure some impetus through the malicious activity of one or two hunchback minds, thereby producing a lack of sufficient confidence among some in a proposition the News proprietor proposes to make on an appropriate occasion to the business citizens of Ada, the statement is as simply and frankly made as those published in circular letter about the financial losses incurred in the publication of the Daily News was the recognition that unless more substantial advertising support should be afforded, or unless the daily edition of the News should be suspended, that there would be required a sacrifice of our limited outside resources which we did not propose or consider required during these piping times of pinch and poverty.

The writer is frank to state that it would cause him to feel very bad, after issuing a daily paper for five years, to feel that it was a business incumbency, that he should suspend publication, for aside from the natural, though after all inconsequential affliction of pride which goes with failure to conduct any enterprise, especially of one's own initiation, to successful conclusion, there results on such account hurtful financial consequences involved through a commercial disparagement by the credit public and the possession of five or six thousand dollars in printing machinery and equipment essential to the publication of a daily paper, but not necessary to the publication of a weekly paper or to the conduct of a job printing business.

The Evening News has a good circulation. Substantially every reading family in the city regularly receives the daily, with the exception of its floating populace. The fact that the Daily News visits the exchange desk of nearly an hundred publications throughout the state and is constantly favorer with a reproduction through the columns of many of its contemporaries of some of its utterances, reflects more or less favorable advertisement in behalf of this city.

Properly distributed, there could result no loss or burden of any consequence whatever to Ada's business public should it extend the Daily News a self supporting patronage during 1909.

It is confidently thought that after this year the city of Ada will have become large and progressive enough to maintain a paper through the ordinary demand for advertising benefits.

The manner in which our people hold Ada to the front during 1909 as a town with all the essential qualifications to become a city will probably determine the status of its future commercial metropolitan proportions.

If proper economy of publication is guaranteed, will not the business and property interests of Ada extend a self supporting patronage to the Daily News during this year?

ADA'S STATE NORMAL.

The State Normal news from Guthrie is favorable. Durant continues to kick against the pricks, but of no avail. The probabilities are that Democratic caucuses of the Legislature will control the public building locations in detail.

There was a party caucus of the Senate last night and will be a party caucus of the House tonight and on Monday night there will be a joint caucus, when definite action will be taken as to method and procedure.

Ardmore will probably support Ada for the normal.

There is a considerable contest among Nowata, Tahlequah and Tulsa for the Northeast Normal, which could result in some embarrassment to Ada's position.

A telephone from Chief Clerk Ebey states that the situation is well in hand, but on account of the certain prospect of important events in the matter of building locations next week, it is desired by our representatives and Mr. Ebey, that a goodly committee from Ada come up the first of the week.

The fight is now on in earnest.

GALE IN OKLAHOMA

Lawton, Okla., Jan. 28.—Southwestern Oklahoma this afternoon experienced a severe wind and sandstorm, which was most severe at Mangum, where several small fires occurred. The Mangum cotton gin caught fire. tonight, loss $4,000.

Ardmore, Okla., Jan. 28.—Terrific windstorm passed over this section this afternoon. A portion of office wall of the Commercial Hotel blew down and Mrs. Tom Laster narrowly escaped death. Two rooms were destroyed. The Arlington Hotel was blown from its foundation and badly damaged. The storm was accompanied by clouds of dust.

Guthrie, Ok., Jan. 28.—With a gale blowing at sixty miles an hour, the air yellow with dust and the horizon obscured, Northern Oklahoma this afternoon endured the most severe wind and sandstorm of the last five years.

Reports indicate the full fury of the storm was centered in Alfalfa County, where the towns of Carmen and Goltry suffered considerable property damage, several buildings being damaged and serious loss by telephone companies. Tonight telegraphic communication from Oklahoma north is demoralized and conditions grow worse as the storm advances southwardly.

Guthrie has suffered some loss by the destruction of small houses, the blowing down of awnings and smashing of plate glass. Rural and toll telephone lines are all out of commission.

Enid, Okla., Jan. 28.—About noon today, a gale struck this part of the state, coming from the west. Its velocity was estimated at from forty to sixty miles an hour.

To the west of Enid the wires are down on both the Santa Fe and Frisco, but it is known that considerable damage has been done in several towns on both roads.

At Carmen, thirty miles to the west, a fire started in a feed yard and the wind scattering the burning hay over the north part of the town, burning several houses and barns before being brought under control.

At Goltry, twenty miles to the west, the large elevator of the Enid Mill and Elevator Company was blown over and also several small buildings.

This afternoon a plate glass window in the Watrous Drug Store, this city, twelve by sixteen, blew in and the glass cut several persons in the store, Mrs. Davidson of Canada, a visitor in the city, being severely hurt.

The gale spent itself in about five hours, and was the hardest wind ever known in this section.

The gale also struck Ada, but not so fierce as reported at other places, as we are protected by hills and timber from the ferocity of wind.

It was blowing as hard here this morning as at any time.

The rear of frame school house in Sunrise was slightly moved and a barn blown down.

The wooden awning in front of the hardware store of R. E. Haynes was blown down this morning.

The electric wires for incandescent lights were disconnected by the blowing down of the owning at Haynes' hardware store, but are again connected.

White Swan Coffee
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White Swan Coffee users get a valuable souvenir in addition to the highest possible quality. Do you get such value in the coffee you are now drinking?

A FINE LINE OF
Paint and Wall Paper
AT THE
Crescent Drug Store
Contract Work Done
See Dr. Holley and W. P. Brinlee
In the Rollow Building. Phone 18

Value of Oklahoma School Lands.

Guthrie, Ok., Jan. 28.—The governor's message shows that the school lands of the state are valued at $31,197,726; the improvements $5,223,815, and the total acreage 3,126,495. The data was gleaned from the latest appraisement.

It must be glorious to live in a climate where the girls and boys skate on the ice together and hold each other's hands.

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with which to do your business the first consideration is the character and standing of its officers and directors and the financial resources of the Bank.
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CHARGES AGAINST HEARST AGENT

Guthrie, Okla., Jan. 28.—The storm that has been revolving around Scott McReynolds, an accredited agent of William Randolph Hearst's legal advisers, since his arrest here two weeks ago on a charge of consipracy against Gov. Haskell, broke into sudden fury here today when a delegation of prominent Muskogee citizens headed by C. W. Briles, city superintendent of schools, appeared in Guthrie with a photo on one Mark Van Houghton, a copy of a picture in the rogue's gallery of Detroit, Mich., who it is stated had served a term at Dertoit, and attempted to identify McReynolds as the said Houghton.

Briles was a school mate of a McReynolds at the University of North Carolina and knows him well. He says the photo of Houghton is an exact likeness of the McReynolds he knew as he last saw him.

McReynolds has already forced Oklahoma newspapers to publish retractions of articles in which Governor Haskell was quoted as saying that McReynolds was a conspirator and an ex-convict. Governor Haskell has possession of the photo and says he will drive McReynolds from the state in three days.

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TRANSIENTS AND OUTSIDERS.

People who are temporarily in a town or city, generally scan the daily paper closely, as it is through that medium they expect to learn something about the place.

Transients in a town or city, even if only for a night and outsiders read the daily paper, if information about the town or city is desired, and the appearance of the paper, in its news features and advertising columns, goes far toward these transients forming a favorable or dertimental opinion of the place.

If the paper has a good advertising patronage, it will more than probable, have a good news service, because with sufficient patronage to justify it, the daily will secure the necessary help to furnish the news. Some papers publish a good newspaper without enough business to warrant it, but it is at a loss, and this is what the Daily Ada News has been doing, consequently the loss has become somewhat burdensome and monotonous for the past five years.

It is to continue to give Ada a creditable daily, and maintain the city's reputation for enterprise and prosperity, that the editor desires the co-operation of the business and professional men here, so as they may bear their proportionate share of the cost, the benefit of which all receive directly and indirectly.

Promise your patronage to your home merchants so long as they merit it by giving you good goods at fair prices.—Ardmoreite.

And also when they advertise these good goods.

Reports from different sections of the country indicate that farm work is well in hand and farmers are all hopeful of a good crop year.—Denison Herald.

A good crop year can generally be expected, even under unfavorable weather conditions, when the farm work is well in hand.

PRESS COMMENT.

A city with beautiful shade trees always present an attractive appearance. Have you shade trees in front of your house?—Denison Herald.

The doctors tell us that Rockefeller will live thirty-eight years longer. What's the use of talking about postal savings banks if this is true?—Ardmoreite.

Unless the legislature passes some law on the subject, the map makers of Oklahoma, are not going to be able to keep up with the changes being made now in county boundaries. There are half a dozen or more attempts being made now to take from some counties and add to others, or to form new counties out of those now in existence. That there are too many counties now in the state, is the opinion of many good authorities on the subject, and while in some cases the changes are besought for the purpose of bettering all concerned, in many cases, it is more the result of animosity or greed. Few people are benefited by change of county boundaries or county seats. The benefits to be derived from these changes, are largely imaginary.—Pauls Valley Enterprise.

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Capital, $50,000 Surplus, $17,000

The oldest Bank in the County
In the 9th year under our management.
Conservatism First; Profit Second

WE WANT YOUR BUSINESS

HOLD JOINT CAUCUS

Guthrie, Jan. 28.—The fight over the location of public buildings will open Monday night, a joint caucus of the Democratic members of the two houses being called for that time to determine what buildings shall be located. It is the intention before any locations are determined upon to bind the Democratic members to stand by the locations of the majority, this being the only method by which the bills can be put through the House in view of the large Republican representation.

The Senate adopted a motion today offered by Senator Allen contemplating the appointment of a committee of the Legislature to investigate the Revised Statutes of 1908, recently printed by a Kansas City firm. The charge is made that laws are omitted and repealed laws allowed to remain. Senator Davis was authorized by the Senate to serve notice upon the State Auditor to refuse payment upon warrants for the books until the Legislature had acted. According to Senator Allen, the committee will have before it the proofreader and the compiler, as well as a representative of the publishing house. Similar complaint was made in the House yesterday by Mr. Jones of Oklahoma City, and last week when a resolution was offered in the Senate to make the statutes official, it was apposed for reasons similar to those given by Senator Allen today. The action then was confined to making the resolution show that the Revised Statutes of 1908 were presumed to be the law.

In receiving the House message on Senator Redwine's bill authorizing prisoners to be sentenced to McAlester in place of Lansing, Kan., which went through the House yesterday with a substitute, the Senate refused to accept the change, and has asked for a conference committee. Senator Redwine, Eggerman and Davis were named on part of the Senate. Senator Redwine says the House action has materially altered the bill, and while not intended, partially destroys its purpose. In the Redwine bill it was provided that the sentences should be passed to the State penitentiary at McAlester, whereas the House added that nothing in the act should be construed as permanently locating the penitentiary at McAlester. Representative McElhaney, a member of the House Committee on State Institutions and representative of Pittsburg County, asked that the House reference to permanent location be eliminated. The House refused to do so by an overwhelming vote.

The Senate passed finally the Thomas bill repealing the Tillotson act of 1908, which permits the carving of counties and creating of new counties, after it had been opposed by Senators Blair, Franklin and Yeager. They contended that the Tillotson act vitalized a section of the State Constitution, and this act sought to stop any effort of the people to change county lines. The proposed reshaping of Comanche County and the creation of the new county of Park were referred to. Senator Blair alluded to the oath of office which all received, and said he was bound by it to follow the constitution. Senator Thomas of Comanche County explained that the Supreme Court had construed the language of the constitution where it read "shall" to mean "may," or to give the Legislature the option, and carried with it nothing of a mandatory order. When the bill passed by a vote of 24 to 16 and Senator Thomas made a motion to reconsider and lay the motion on the table, which had the effect of preventing a reconsideration. Senator Blair volunteered a substitute "that we should burn the Constitution." The Thomas idea prevailed, with the bill shorn of the emergency clause.

Pensions for Blind.

The Senate reconsidered the bill of Senator Yeager permitting counties to pension the blind in the sum of $100 per year, which it "killed" yesterday passed it by a vote of 25 to 14. It was explained action with counties was optional.

Final passage was secured on Senator Hatchett's bill prohibiting appeals from Justice of the Peace Courts where the amount involved was less than $25; Senator Wynne's bill for the election of five members at large for boards of education in cities of the first class and Senator Eggerman's bill providing that appeals in misdemeanor causes must be taken within sixty days and in felony cases within six months.

Hugo-Antler Contest.

The Hugo-Antler contest for the

WANT THE EARTH?

Well, if you will be satisfied with a modest portion of it at a modest price, we can aid you in attaining what you desire. Every man, married or single, should own real estate, if only as an investment. It's the one thing that won't run away—unless it be by an earthquake, and then you own both sides of the gap. Therefore land buying isn't a game of chance—you can't lose, on Ada property.

Let Us Show You
Hardin & Blanks
Office Ada National Bank Building.

Eastern Oklahoma Insane Asylum has reached an amicable solution in that the Joint Committee on Public Buildings has agreed to send a subcommittee to view the two sites. The Stewart-Williams resolution pending in the House authorizing this will not be called up. The members who are on part of the Senate, Senators Newell, Echols and Moore, and of the House, Repersentatives Wallace, Ross and Gilmer, are leaving tonight under appointment of the chairman, in their individual capacities, but it is understood the committees have agreed to accept their recommendations as final and the towns have agreed that it would be binding upon them. This means the committeess will recommend the asylum in one of the two towns, or at Vinita, the latest applicant. When report is made to the House has not been indicated, but it will not be before the middle of next week, and then probably in a blanket bill.

That the House intends to take early action on good roads legislation was indicated by the making of the Putnam and Smith (of Custer) roads bills special orders for tomorrow afternoon.

An unfavorable committee report on the Johnson bill making the charging of usury a criminal offense brought a storm of protests from the Farmers' Union members today. Johnson asking that the bill be placed upon the calendar for action. He stated that it was drawn by the Farmers' Union and that they would initiate a bill if the Legislature took no action. "I want to place you on record," he concluded. The bill was referred back to the committee.

The House passed to third reading and final passage the White bill prohibiting the service of writs, processes and the like on legal holidays except in cases of emergency and the Charles bill permitting the sale of apple cider where an internal revenue license is not required.

The Senate Wednesday accepted the House amendments to the Campbell Russell demonstration farm bill and the measure goes to the governor. The changes were not vital.

The bill provides for a 40-acre farm in each county, the demonstrator to be elected by farmers' unions. The work is to be conducted under the direction of the state board of agriculture.

CUBA NOW A REPUBLIC.

Americans Depart and the New President Is Inaugurated.

Havana, Jan. 28.—Jose Miguel Gomez was inaugurated first president of the re-established Cuban Republic at a few minutes after noon and the American control of insular affairs came to an end with the departure of former Gov. Magoon and all provisional officials. The Americans left the harbor on warships and transports immediately after the formal turning over of the government to the native officials. An immense crowd stood with bare heads in the Plaza de Armas facing the palaice when President Gomez stepped out on the palace balcony and took the oath of office from the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court. The president was surrounded by the dignitaries of State and members of the diplomatic corps and the special envoys in brilliant uniforms. The day was intensely warm.

Ada Opera House

Saturday, Jan. 30

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No. 508 due 9:15 a. m.
No. 510 due 4:10 p. m.
Westbound.
No. 509 due 9:40 a. m.
No. 507 due 9:00 p. m.

M. K. & T.
Southbound.
No. 111 due 11:10 a. m.
Northbound.
No. 112 due 4:05 p. m.

OKLAHOMA CENTRAL.
Westbound.
No. 3 due 10:32 a. m.
Eastbound.
No. 2 due 4:07 . m.

Fred Hahn, a concrete paving contractor, arrived this morning from Paris, Tex.

Hot chocolate at Ramsey's. 240tf

J. E. Webb, who is much improved in health since his treatment at Houston, Texas, went to Muskogee today on legal business.

Hot nerver at Ramsey's. 240tf

H. West of West & Harrison, real estate agents, went to Muskogee today on business.

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MEAT MARKET
Daggs Bldg.
WEST MAIN ST.
Phone 55.
This new market will keep
FRESH AND FINE
Meat, Hams and Lard
Everything new and experiencep men to handle the meats.
J. B. GAY, Prop.

Frank Jones will buy your county warrants. 262dtf

Will M. Pegg, who went from Allen to California to reside, has returned and will again make Allen his home. The News welcomes him to Pontotoc county again as a citizen.

Car load of Wapco flour received by M. L. WALSH.
261d3t

E. E. Matthews who has been to Guthrie in behalf of the normal school for Ada, returned hame today.

White Swan coffee at
261d3t M. L. WALSH.

L. J. Little, president of the city council, returned today from a business trip to Oklahoma City and Shawnee.

The Rebeccas will serve ice cream and cake, candy and pop corn at the market Saturday afternoon at Matthew's music store. 261d3t

Those desiring to be in the one thousand class of Woodmen Circle for the convention to meet at Chickasha in March, will please call on or phone Mesdames Jeff Reed or Alton Kile.

If you have anything to sell let it be known through the News want column. It costs but little and will bring results. One word, first insertion, one cent. Additional insertions a half a cent per word.

OKLAHOMAN IS BURNED OUT

Leading Daily Newspaper of the State is Destroyed and the Loss Great--Will Issue Regularly.

Special to the News.

Oklahoma City, Jan. 29.—Please announce the Oklahoman plant burned today. Papers will be printed tonight at various job offices in the city. Delivery to subscribers will be irregular for two or three days.

New presses and new type setting machines have been ordered by wire and will be installed at earliest possible moment.

E. K. GAYLORD,
Business Manager.

The fire in the Oklahoman building broke out in the basement.

The fire department kept the flames confined to the Oklahoman's building, which was good work, when it is considered that a regular gale was blowing there as it has here all day.

The Oklahoma City Times which is printed by the Oklahoman is also inconvenienced, but its loss is light.

The News extends its sincere condolence to the Daily Oklahoman, because it is a credit to this state as a metropolitan newspaper and a bulwark of strength to the Democracy of the Southwest, and as such is a public institution of such wide influence that any injury, loss or inconvenience to it, effects many.

Stafford and Gaylord will come out of the fiery ordeal with a larger and better Oklahoman, because they are men who do things.

Papa Howard Parker.

The Guthrie Leader, the official informant of the more notable occurrences within the circle of the state administration, chronicles the birth of a bay girl on yesterday to Mr. and Mrs. Howard Parker.

The entire News force makes its best bow to Howard and "Miss" Francis, for we feel like kin folks to this likely pair, since it was on their account that Mr. Cupid ever deigned to freight the air with his heavenly misses within the walls of the News editorial rooms until each of their dear hearts was punctured.

Mr. and Mrs. Parker were universally beloved in Ada, as was also his noble mother and dear old grand mother, during their residence with Howard, and the polite public generally will be pleased to hear that all are happily situated in their comfortable Guthrie home within a block of the state capitol, where the gentleman of the three widow ladies, counting Mrs. Howard one, is serving with marked favor and some distinction as the Supreme Court reporter for Oklahoma.

Need the Money.

Those who owe me are requested to settle at once. I accommodated you when you needed help, and now that I need the money, you ought to favor me by prompt settlement.
261d&wtf M. L. WALSH.

Marriage License.

Albert Lillard 22, of Stonewall, and Miss Angie Gore 21, of Lula.

J. M. Case 24, and Miss Cora McCall 19, of Allen.

Notice.

I am doing general dray work in the city, and want part of your business. Will plow your garden.
d162-2t CHAS. RINARD.

This is What You Want.

As my connection with the Oklahoma Baptist Journal compels me to get nearer my office, I will sell my home on 2nd street. I have a five-room building, comfortable and in every way complete, 103 foot front, 140 back, sixty-five peach trees, fine water, good barn. This is a good home. $1000.00 part cash, balance one, two and three years. Title gilt-edge. See me at the News office or at my home.

D. J. AUSTIN.

We still have 98 pounds chops for $1.30, bran, $1.20. Another car coming.

ALDRICH & THOMPSON.

Blue grass, Bermuda and white clover seeds for lawns, at
263dtf PEARSON & NEIL.
Phone 308. Two doors west of Court House.

The Event of the Season.

Marx S. Nathan offers George Ade's quaint comedy "The County Chairman" at Ada Opera House, Saturday, the 30th.

"The County Chairman" comes here after a phenominal record-breaking run in all the principal cities of America. George Ade has succeeded in producing the play that has long been desired, a straight comedy of absolute cleanliness and devoid of any suggestiveness too often depended upon for the humor of the modern comedy. "The County Chairman" is a picture of country life in the Middle West drawn by a master hand and filled with types so cleverly drawn that we recognize them at a glance. It is a bit of life with all its fun, seriously transferred to the stage and acted by one of the best companies ever seen anywhere. Wm. Chatterton in the title role gives us a strong and altogether effective portrayal of a country leader. The rest of the company is particularly well balanced and combines to make the play one of the most delightful entertainments ever offered. The scene is laid in Antioch which stands for any community of the Middle West. A good story is well handled and told in most finished style by this splendid company which includes several of the orginal cast.

Death of Father of Rev. J. D. White.

Word was received this morning announcing the death of Rev. J. D. White's father at Ripley, Miss. Mr. White was with the family at the time, and will not reach here in time to hold services at his church, the Presbyterian U. S. A., Sunday.

Judge Barney will fill his pulpit Sunday morning. You are cordially invited to attend the service.

New State Restaurant

Meals served between the hours of 11:30 and 2 o'clock

Short orders served at all hours

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League Program.

The following is the program for the Intermediate League, Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock:

Subject, "For Loves Sake." (Foreign Missionary Society.)
Leader, Miss Maurine Truitt.
Music.
Oral scripture reading.
Song.
Reading of the lesson.
Prayer.
"What is the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society?" by leader.
"Something of the Lives of Three Missionaries," by Misses Lucile Hall and Clytie Young and Freddie Gay.
Recitation, Leona Chauncey.
Paper, Bryan Wilson.
Solo, Miss Pearl Fain.

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Railroads Gain Most.

In the reductions in tax assessments made by J. P. Roetzel, the special state examiner who completed his work in Pontotoc county yesterday evening, the railroads gained the most.

In the total reductions, the railroads will save $8,364.00, while on all the other property reduced there is $6,279.00, and a total reduction of taxes of $14,643.00.

The News is indebted to County Clerk Kerr for the above statement.

C. W. Long and R. L. Walker, of Vanoss, are in Ada today.

Notice of Hearing Petition for Appointment of Administrator.

State of Oklahoma, Pontotoc County, in County Court.

In the matter of the estate of George Underwood, deceased.

To the Heirs, Next of Kin, and Creditors of George Underwood, deceased:

You are hereby notified that J. W. Bolen has applied to the County Court of Pontotoc County, State of Oklahoma, for letters of administration on the estate of George Underwood, deceased, to be granted to J. C. Chapman, and that said application will be heard in the Court room of said Court in the City of Ada, in said County, on the 5th day of Feb. 1909, at 1 o'clock p. m., at which time and place any person interested may appear and show cause if any they have why such petition should not be granted.

Witness my hand and the Seal of said Court hereunto affixed this 23rd day of Jan. 1909.

JOEL TERRELL,
County Judge.
259d10t

Deafness Cannot Be Cured.

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, inflammation can be taken out and deafness is the result, and unless the this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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We, the undersigned, subscribe the amount set opposite our names in support of the State Normal fund, none of which shall be expended except within the discretion and at the instance of the State Normal committee selected by the citizens and 25,000 Club, composed of E. H. Lucas, W. L. Reed, Tom Hope, J. W. Hays, W. C. Duncan, W. H. Ebey and Otis Weaver.

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ADA DAILY AND WEEKLY NEWS, Ada, Okla.

WANTED ONLY MONEY'S WORTH.

Example of the Workings of the "New England Conscience."

A woman who has spent many summers at Haines' Falls in the Catskills tells the following story:

"A mountain wagon full of summer excursionists stopped at the hotel one morning. They wanted to see the falls 'turned on.' In order to assure a good flow of water there is a sort of lock built above the falls. The lock is always kept closed except when somebody makes application to see the falls; then, on payment of a quarter, the gates are thrown open and a fine flow of water pours forth. The old man who had charge of the falls went out and opened the gates; the visitors were delighted, paid their quarter and drove away. About half an hour later another wagonload drove up to the hotel and asked to see the falls. Again the old man went out and opened the gates; but owing to the previous drain on the water supply the result was far from satisfactory, and the spectators were not enthusiastic. The old man noticed the dissatisfaction of the visitors, and was, perhaps, somewhat conscience stricken, for, when he was offered a quarter to pay for opening the gates, he hesitated a moment, then said:

"No, it wa'n't worth that much. I think there was just 'bout 17 cents' worth that time."

CHILD'S CONFIDENCE IN DADDY.

Wanted Papa to Emulate the Historic Act of Moses.

The Sunday school lesson that day had been about Moses leading the children of Israel through the wilderness to the Promised Land, and little Bobby had been particularly impressed by the incident of the prophet striking the rock with his staff and causing the water to gush forth. After Sunday school he took a walk with his father, and could talk of nothing else.

Now, Bobby has an overwhelming respect for his father's prowess, which was not even overshadowed by the remarkable achievement of Moses. He was thoroughly imbued with the idea that there wasn't a thing in the world his father couldn't do if that thing were at all possible of accomplishment. So when they came to a pile of large bowlders, with the Sunday school lesson still uppermost in his mind, he rather startled his father by exclaiming:

"Say, pop, hit a rock. I want a drink!"

Couldn't Place Horace.

"They say that Horace wrote his poems in praise of wine," the school teacher said to the Billville citizen.

"Who? Horace Greeley? Never knowed he writ poetry."

"No, no—the other Horace, who comes from antiquity."

"Never hearn tell of him, n'er the place he come from; but it's my opinion, whoever he wuz, that he had mighty little to do to be wastin' words on wine, when the country has more 100-proof corn licker than it kin consume convenient; but, come ter think of it, the less said 'bout corn, new or old, in the north Georgy region, the better. The blamed ol' government is mighty watchful!"—Atlanta Constitution.

Gratuitous Advice.

A man had sat for some time in a restaurant, looking thoughtfully at his saucer of melting ice cream. At last he left his chair and made his way to the proprietor.

"I see you advertise that you make your own ice cream," he said, in a confidential tone.

"I do, sir," said the proprietor.

"Well," said the man, "would you permit me to give you a little pointer? I won't charge you a cent, and it'll be money in your pocket."

"Glad to hear it, I'm sure," said the proprietor.

"Get somebody else to make it," said the man, in a hoarse whisper.—Youth's Companion.

All in the Mind.

On the opening day of one winter session the late Prof. Tait of Edinburgh university entered the natural philosophy classroom in the midst of the uproarous applause common to those occasions.

Presently he looked up at the tumultuous benches above him with the smile of one who had known the ways of students for a lifetime.

At last, when a momentary lull came, he remarked, his gray eyes twinkling:

"Gentlemen, I must remind you that there is really no such thing as noise. It is merely a matter of subjective impression."—Youth's Companion.

Flowers for the Prima Donna.

It is said that the opera stars do not receive as many flowers as formerly. The treasurer of a certain company said to me the other day: "Ten years ago it was nothing for a prima donna to receive in a single night $2,000 or $3,000 worth of flowers. If one of the best gets $500 worth after a great performance nowadays she is mighty lucky. It used to keep most of our ushers busy handing floral pieces over the footlights, or spilling them on the heads of the musicians. One usher can take care of the job now."—N. Y. Press.

The Bird in Hand.

Lonny—Say, let's promise to marry each other when we grow up.

Gracie—Oh, no. I might like somebody else better then.

Lonny—Me, too.

Gracie (hastily)—Oh, yes, let's do promise.

TAKE A PLEASANT THOUGHT TO BED WITH YOU.

Psychologists tell us that the mental processes which are active on retiring continue far into the night. We have all dreamed of continuing an evening's experience during sleep, enjoying again the beautiful songs we have heard. This shows how important it is not to retire to rest in a fit of temper, or in an ugly, unpleasant mood. We should get ourselves into mental harmony, should become serene and quiet before retiring, and, if possible, lie down with a smile on the face, no matter how long it takes to secure this condition. Never retire with a frown on your brow; with a perplexed troubled, vexed expression. Smooth ut the wrinkles; drive away all the enemies of your peace of mind, and never allow yourself to go to sleep with an unkind, critical, cruel, jealous thought toward anyone.

It is bed enough to feel inimical toward others when under severe provocation or in a hot temper, but you can not afford to deliberately continue this state of mind after the provocation has ceased. You can not afford to wear and tear upon your nervous system and your health. It takes too much out of you.

Mental discord dries up the spirits, ages us prematurely, shortens life, and ruins our happiness. It does not pay to indulge in violent temper, corroding thoughts, mental discord in any form. Life is too short, too precious, to pe any part of it in such unprofitable, soul-raking health-destroying business.

Be at peace with all the world at least once every twenty-four hours. You cannot afford to allow the enemies of your happiness and your manhood or womanhood to etch their miserable images deeper and deper into your character as you sleep.

Many of us with crotchety, sour dispositions and quick tempers sometimes have very hard work to be decent in our treatment of others. But we can, at least when we are alone, when we get away from people who nettle and antagonize us, smooth out the wrinkles and forget all injuries; we can quit harboring unpleasant thoughts and hard feelings toward others.

It is a great thing to form a habit of forgetting and forgiving at night, of clearing the mind of unhappiness and success enemies. If we have been impulsive, foolish or wicked during the day in our treatment of others; if we have been holding our vicious, ugly revengeful jealous attitude toward others, it is a good time to wipe off the slate and start anew. It is a blesed thing to put into practice Paul's exhortation to the Ephesians: "Let not the sun go down upon your wrath."

It ought to be the deliberate custom in every home to make the evening just as pleasant as possible, and to see to it that no member of the family retires in an unhappy mood. An evening happiness bath, a bath of love and good will toward every living creature, is more important than a water bath.

We should take special pains to erase the memory of all unfortunate experiences of the day, all business or professional troubles and anxieties, in order to retire in a placid, peaceful, harmonious state of mind; not only because of the necessity of rising refreshed and invigorated in the morning, but because the character and the disposition are affected by the condition of the mind upon faling asleep. Mental discords prevent sound sleep and leave poisonous waste in the blood, and this in turn dulls and impairs the brain action.

Many business men suffer so much torture at night that some of them actualy dread to retire because of the long, tedious wakeful hours. Financial troubles are particularly exaggarated at night, even many optimists suffer more or less from pessimism then.

We shoud fall asleep in the most cheerful and the happiest possible frame of mind. Our minds should be filled with lofty thoughts—with thoughts of love and of helpfulness—thoughts which will continue to create that which is helpful and uplifting, which will refresh the soul and help us to awaken in the morning refreshed and in superb condition for the day's work.

If you have any difficulty in banishing unpleasant or torturing thought, force yourself to read some good, inspiring book—something that will smooth out your wrinkles and put you in a happy mood; something that will make you see the real grandeur and beauty of life; something that will make you feel ashamed of petty meanness and narrow, uncharitable thoughts.

After a little practice, you will be surprised to see how quickly and completely you can change your whole mental attitude so that you will face life the right way before you fall aslep.

You will be surprised also to find how serene and calm, how wonderfully refreshed and rejuvinated you will be when you wake in the morning, and how much easier it will be to start right, and wear a smile that won't come off for the day, than it was when you went to bed in an ill-humored, worrying, or ugly mood, or full of ungenerous, uncharitable thoughts.—Success Magazine.

A SUFFICIENT REMEDY.

We used to hear a great deal about depravity, but less is said about it now. Yet there is as much depravity now as there was in former times. Science and culture have not eliminated depravity. Philosophers say nothing about depravity, but they frighten us with the doctrine of heredity. One is a theological term, the other philosophical, but who can tell the difference?

Social reformer tell us that there is evil in the blood. You can not make good men unless you have good blood. Some base people excuse themselves for their wickedness on this ground. They say, "we are not to blame. We were born bad. The law of heredity dooms us."

In reply to all this we may say there is another law stronger than the law of heredity. It is the law of the spirit of life in Christ Jesus There is another energy superior to the force of depravity. It is the power of Christ. There is another blood more potent than the tainted blood which we inherited from our ancesters. It is the blood of Christ which cleanseth from all sin. One who has been so unfortunate as to be born bad may be born again, born from above, born of God. He had a depraved and degenerate ancestry, but he may have a royal ancestry. He may be the child of a King. One who, through long years of sinful indulgence, has cultivated evil habits until he is fast bound in the fetters of sin and vice may be made free. "If the Son shall make you free, ye shall be free indeed."—Christian Advocate.

PRAYER AND PRAISE.

Human Independence.

Life is so intense, every day so filled with problems to solve and work to be done, that we are in danger of being so absorbed in our own part of it as to totally forget others engaged in as fierce a struggle, facing as hard a day's work, with, perhaps, less strength with which to meet it. To us our work is important and ought to be. The mother must keep the children's clothes whole and clean, the children themselves wholesome and happy. The wife must see that dinner and supper are prepared properly for her husband's eating and that the home is cheery and bright for his coming. But that is not all that is required of a wife and mother. She has neighbors, and the well-being and happiness of their children are also a part of her business; while the chance stranger has claims upon her time and helpfulness.

The merchant hurries to his store, is absorbed all day long with difficult, vexing situations. But the price of goods, the condition of the market, the disposal of what will soon be uncalled for, these are not the only issues for his settlement. If he grows weary of the burdens pressing upon him, so do his clerks weary of standing all day waiting on exacting customers; so do customers weary, who, often with but little money, must meet many needs. The nerve-worn buyer, as well as the nerve-worn clerk and merchant, need the courteous word, the gentle forbearance of Christian love, the atmosphere of friendliness. In other words, no person is independent; all are interdependent. Each of us, whether we wish it or not, is in some measure dependent on his neighbor, and is in his turn responsible for his neighbor's well-being and comfort.

How many weary hearts are longing, breaking, for the word of sympathy you and I might give were we not too busy with our own affairs to know it is needed! What heartaches could be cured, what difficulties vanquished, what burdens lightened, if we but realized our privilege and utilized it by going about, as did our Lord, doing good! Not ostentatiously, with the blowing of trumpets, calling on all in need to come and partake of our royal bounty; but quietly, in tender, steady, sympathetic love, going about with wide-open eyes, ready hands, ever-present smiles; lifting a little here, comforting a little there, scattering sunshine everywhere; giving those about us what they most crave—leisure in which to listen to their woes, in which to touch them with our warm human hands! O that we might learn the divine art of making whole!

DEMOCRATS OPPOSE REPUBLICAN AGREEMENT

Washington, Jan. 28.—Republican leaders have reached an agreement as to the Brownsville imbroglio that is satisfactory both to the president and Senator Foraker. It provides, in brief, for the appointment of a commission of five army officers, none of whom is to be below the rank of colonel. All negroes from the discharged troops desiring to be reenlisted must apply to this board and be subjected to an examination. Such as prove themselves innocent of any knowledge of the Brownsville shooting will be recommended for re-enlistment, the final decision to be made by the secretary of war. Pay from the date of their discharge is to be given to such as are re-enlisted by this process.

Democrats Not Satisfied.

The Democrats were first appraised of this agreement this afternoon by Senator Aldrich, who brought a rough draft of the proposed legislation to their cloak room. Senator Aldrich apparently thought it would be satisfactory to them. In this assumption he was wrong. Almost immediately the Democrats declared the effect of it would be to condone an atrocious crime, for they declared that it was hardly conceivable that there was a single one of the discharged troops who could not, if he would, give some information that would lead to the discovery of the men who actually did the shooting. They asserted that while perhaps only a few did the shooting, all of them had made themselves accessories after the fact, and, that inasmuch as the agreement itself tacitly admitted that the shooting was done by the troops, it would be wrong to extend mercy to any who had shielded them. The Democrats made it plain that they would resist any effort to pass such a measure, and undoubtedly they could make their resistence effectual during this session at least. It is doubtful, under these circumstances, if the Republicans will press the measure, though they had imagined when they agreed among themselves that it could be put through without opposition.

Vexes Republicans.

The whole matter has been a vexatious one to the Republicans. That is one reason of their eagerness to be rid of it. But they have a further incentive in the feeling that as the matter stands now it is a constant source of danger to some of them. It is said that the election of a Democratic Legislature in Indiana was due somewhat to the resentment of the negroes. Besides, it is felt that when the negroes shall finally come to the conclusion that nothing is to be done to repair what they regard as an injustice, they will then vent their anger. The agreement among the Republicans, therefore, is prompted largely by considerations of political expedience.

As to the agreement between the president and Senator Foraker, it is as has been said tacitly admitted that the shooting was done by the negroes. To that extent Senator Foraker yields. But he believes that none of them can be convicted either of having done the shooting or of having knowledge of it. Certainly the great efforts the president has already made have convinced no one but himself as to who were the ones who did the shooting, and Senator Foraker believes that the proceeding proposed would result in the re-enlistment of nearly, if not quite all, of them.

PURE WHITE SULPHUR WATER

Dr. J. R. Runyan brought the News a sample of pure white sulphur water this evening, that is very strong.

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Appropriate Mottoes.

In front of him as he sits as his desk, I. McNair, the genial Frisco agent, has some appropriate mottoes, which are as follows:

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Yesterday is gone,
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If you have anything to do
GET BUSY."

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Church Directory

First Baptist Church.

No pastor at present. Prayermeeting every Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Sunday School 9:45 a. m., W. U. Duncan, superintendent. B. Y. P. U. Sunday afternoon at 6:30.

Christian Church

Services Sunday morning at 11 and Sunday evening at 7:30. Rev. C. E. Smootz, pastor.

Sunday School at 10 a. m., L. T. Walters, superintendent

Ladies Aid meets first and third Wednesdays and C. W. B. M. first Thursday in each month. Prayermeeting every Wednesday evening at 7:30.

First Presbyterian Church.

Services every Sunday morning at 11 and evening at 7:30. Rev. W. T. Ahrenbeck, pastor.

Sunday School at 9:45 a. m., J T. Higgins, superintendent. Prayermeeting every Wednesday evening at 7:30. Ladies Aid Society meets every other Wednesday.

Presbyterian Church.

Services Sunday morning at 11 J. D. White, pastor.

Sunday School at 9:45, Orville Sneed, superintendent. Junior Endeavor society meets every Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Ladies Aid Society meets every Monday afternoon at 2:30.

First Methodist Church.

Services Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and Sunday evening at 7:30 Rev. W. M. Wilson, pastor.

Sunday School every Sunday morning at 10 o'clock, T. F. Pierce, superintendent. Prayermeeting every Wednesday evening at 7:30. Senior League meets every Sunday evening at 6:30. Intermediate and Junior Leagues meet Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Home Mission Society meets every Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock, except 3rd Monday. Foreign Mission Society meets every 3rd Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock Teachers meeting every Tuesday evening at 7:30.

North Ada Baptist Church.

Services every Sunday morning at 11 and Sunday evening at 7 o'clock Rev. D. J. Austin, pastor.

Sunday School every Sunday morning at 9:45, A. N. Harrison, superintendent. Prayermeeting every Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock. Ladies Aid Society meets every Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Asbury Methodist Church.

Services first and third Sunday mornings at 11 and Sunday evening, also fourth Sunday evening of each months.

Sunday school every Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, W. L. Roddie, superintendent. Prayermeeting every Wednesday evening at 7:30.

Junior League meets every Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Senior League meets every Sunday evening at 6:30.

Woman's Home Missionary Society meets first and third Wednesdays of each month.

LODGE DIRECTORY.

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W. O. W.

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INITIATIVE AND REFERENDUM

Shawnee, Jan. 28.—After the Legislature adjourns the Sons of Washington, heart of the anti-prohibition movement, will petition Gov. Haskell to call a special election on a bill which is now being drafted by W. D. Cardwell and which will be presented signed by 40,000 names, enough to insure its submission to the people under the initiative clause of the constitution. This method is pursued instead of asking for legislation because the Sons of Washington want a law which they [illegible] mitted without any hampering by the Legislature.

Teachers' Examinations.

The examin[illegible]chers is concluded this evening and they depart for their respective homes.

Phil McLachlan of Dolberg, and Bunyan Smith of Homer school, attended today.

The examining board composed of County Superintendent Pierce, A. L. Norton and A. L. Fentem, is completing the grades of the teachers, this evening.

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We have the exclusive sale at Ada of the well known McDonald Deep Shaft Coal. We guarantee no Slack or dirt. Full weight, prompt delivery. Fancy clean lump, $5.50 per ton in ton lots, delivered. We also have on hand stock of blacksmith coal.

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THE NEWS MAKES APPEAL.

After a continuous publication of a daily paper for five full years in a city only eight years old and at a loss with which the business public has been frankly made acquainted, will any Ada citizen criticise the action of the editor after he has exhausted all his readily convertable resources in the support of the respectable maintenance of the daily edition of the News, when he throws up his hands and takes the business public into his entire confidence concerning the future requirements of such publication.

The News editor, of the optimistic school, has thought from season to season that a general commercial growth was just ahead, which would enable the daily to pay its own way, but alas and alack, such realization has been as chimerical as the dear lady with the bag of gold at the end of the rain bow. But with it all, we do not suffer with regret on account of the manner of the life of Ada's daily paper or the losses which have been sustained, for on the whole, under all the circumstances, the Ada public has extended its daily publication kindly treatment.

Since the News proprietor has issued letter of announcement that the Daily News must secure an additional advertising support in order to maintain an uninterrupted, respectable daily publication, there has resulted some embarrassment to him through the extravagant view of one or two industrious, but miserably lame minds, that the printed and distributed candid statement that he had reached the end of his readily convertable outside resources was nothing more or less than a little prelude to his 'going broke." Fearing that such "going broke" prediction might secure some impetus through the malicious activity of one or two hunchback minds, thereby producing a lack of sufficient confidence among some in a proposition the News proprietor proposes to make on an appropriate occasion to the business citizens of Ada, the statement is as simply and frankly made as those published in circular letter about being hard up, that when the News proprietor "goes broke" that there will go ahead those Ada wolves, with property interests, who have never been known to subscribe to the welfare of the public good in whatever clime they pursued their prey. The Ada public will evidently agree that this declaration is a marked showing of confidence in our stability, for the wolf of the genus homo breed can only go broke when his avarice overstepps business discretion, which as a rule does not occur, since cunning and cowardice are the wolf's trump and stacked cards.

The whole proposition involved in the New's printed letter to the business public is no more or less than what is stated as plainly and candidly as we knew how.

The reason the business public was taken into our entire confidence relative to the financial losses incurred in the publication of the Daily News was the recognition that unless more substantial advertising support should be afforded, or unless the daily edition of the News should be suspended, that there would be required a sacrifice of our limited outside resources which we did not propose or consider required during these piping times of pinch and poverty.

The writer is frank to state that it would cause him to feel very bad, after issuing a daily paper for five years, to feel that it was a business incumbency, that he should suspend publication, for aside from the natural, though after all inconsequential affliction of pride which goes with failure to conduct any enterprise, especially of one's own initiation, to successful conclusion, there results on such account hurtful financial consequences involved through a commercial disparagement by the credit public and the possession of five or six thousand dollars in printing machinery and equipment essential to the publication of a daily paper, but not necessary to the publication of a weekly paper or to the conduct of a job printing business.

The Evening News has a good circulation. Substantially every reading family in the city regularly receives the daily, with the exception of its floating populace. The fact that the Daily News visits the exchange desk of nearly an hundred publications throughout the state and is constantly favorer with a reproduction through the columns of many of its contemporaries of some of its utterances, reflects more or less favorable advertisement in behalf of this city.

Properly distributed, there could result no loss or burden of any consequence whatever to Ada's business public should it extend the Daily News a self supporting patronage during 1909.

It is confidently thought that after this year the city of Ada will have become large and progressive enough to maintain a paper through the ordinary demand for advertising benefits.

The manner in which our people hold Ada to the front during 1909 as a town with all the essential qualifications to become a city will probably determine the status of its future commercial metropolitan proportions.

If proper economy of publication is guaranteed, will not the business and property interests of Ada extend a self supporting patronage to the Daily News during this year?

ADA'S STATE NORMAL.

The State Normal news from Guthrie is favorable. Durant continues to kick against the pricks, but of no avail. The probabilities are that Democratic caucuses of the Legislature will control the public building locations in detail.

There was a party caucus of the Senate last night and will be a party caucus of the House tonight and on Monday night there will be a joint caucus, when definite action will be taken as to method and procedure.

Ardmore will probably support Ada for the normal.

There is a considerable contest among Nowata, Tahlequah and Tulsa for the Northeast Normal, which could result in some embarrassment to Ada's position.

A telephone from Chief Clerk Ebey states that the situation is well in hand, but on account of the certain prospect of important events in the matter of building locations next week, it is desired by our representatives and Mr. Ebey, that a goodly committee from Ada come up the first of the week.

The fight is now on in earnest.

GALE IN OKLAHOMA

Lawton, Okla., Jan. 28.—Southwestern Oklahoma this afternoon experienced a severe wind and sandstorm, which was most severe at Mangum, where several small fires occurred. The Mangum cotton gin caught fire, tonight, loss $4,000.

Ardmore, Okla., Jan. 28.—Terrific windstorm passed over this section this afternoon. A portion of office wall of the Commercial Hotel blew down and Mrs. Tom Laster narrowly escaped death. Two rooms were destroyed. The Arlington Hotel was blown from its foundation and badly damaged. The storm was accompanied by clouds of dust.

Guthrie, Ok., Jan. 28.—With a gale blowing at sixty miles an hour, the air yellow with dust and the horizon obscured, Northern Oklahoma this afternoon endured the most severe wind and sandstorm of the last five years.

Reports indicate the full fury of the storm was centered in Alfalfa County, where the towns of Carmen and Goltry suffered considerable property damage, several buildings being damaged and serious loss by telephone companies. Tonight telegraphic communication from Oklahoma north is demoralized and conditions grow worse as the storm advances southwardly.

Guthrie has suffered some loss by the destruction of small houses, the blowing down of awnings and smashing of plate glass. Rural and toll telephone lines are all out of commission.

Enid, Okla., Jan. 28.—About noon today, a gale struck this part of the state, coming from the west. Its velocity was estimated at from forty to sixty miles an hour.

To the west of Enid the wires are down on both the Santa Fe and Frisco, but it is known that considerable damage has been done in several towns on both roads.

At Carmen, thirty miles to the west, a fire started in a feed yard and the wind scattering the burning hay over the north part of the town, burning several houses and barns before being brought under control.

At Goltry, twenty miles to the west, the large elevator of the Enid Mill and Elevator Company was blown over and also several small buildings.

This afternoon a plate glass window in the Watrous Drug Store, this city, twelve by sixteen, blew in and the glass cut several persons in the store, Mrs. Davidson of Canada, a visitor in the city, being severely hurt.

The gale spent itself in about five hours, and was the hardest wind ever known in this section.

The gale also struck Ada, but not so fierce as reported at other places, as we are protected by hills and timber from the ferocity of wind.

It was blowing as hard here this morning as at any time.

The rear of frame school house in Sunrise was slightly moved and a barn blown down.

The wooden awning in front of the hardware store of R. E. Haynes was blown down this morning.

The electric wires for incandescent lights were disconnected by the blowing down of the awning at Haynes' hardware store, but are again connected.

Just Received

A new supply of Edison Records, 2 and 4 minute. We also sell phonographs and supplies.

Ramsey's Drug Store
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"We're in business for your health."

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The Best By Test
White Swan Coffee users get a valuable souvenir in addition to the highest possible quality. Do you get such value in the coffee you are now drinking?

A FINE LINE OF
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AT THE
Crescent Drug Store
Contract Work Done
See Dr. Holley and W. P. Brinlee
In the Rollow Building. Phone 18

Value of Oklahoma School Lands.

Guthrie, Ok., Jan. 28.—The governor's message shows that the school lands of the state are valued at $31,197,726; the improvements $5,223,815, and the total acreage 3,126,495. The data was gleaned from the latest appraisement.

It must be glorious to live in a climate where the girls and boys skate on the ice together and hold each other's hands.

In Selecting a Bank

with which to do your business the first consideration is the character and standing of its officers and directors and the financial resources of the Bank.
Judged by these standards your confidence and patronage are merited by the

First National Bank of Ada
W. L. Reed, Pres. C. H. Rives, Vice Pres.
H. T. Douglas, V. P. M. D. Timberlake, Cashier

CHARGES AGAINST HEARST AGENT

Guthrie, Okla., Jan. 28.—The storm that has been revolving around Scott McReynolds, an accredited agent of William Randolph Hearst's legal advisers, since his arrest here two weeks ago on a charge of conspiracy against Gov. Haskell, broke into sudden fury here today when a delegation of prominent Muskogee citizens headed by C. W. Briles, city superintendent of schools, appeared in Guthrie with a photo on one Mark Van Houghton, a copy of a picture in the rogue's gallery of Detroit, Mich., who it is stated had served a term at Detroit, and attempted to identify McReynolds as the said Houghton.

Briles was a school mate of a McReynolds at the University of North Carolina and knows him well. He says the photo of Houghton is an exact likeness of the McReynolds he knew as he last saw him.

McReynolds has already forced Oklahoma newspapers to publish retractions of articles in which Governor Haskell was quoted as saying that McReynolds was a conspirator and an ex-convict. Governor Haskell has possession of the photo and says he will drive McReynolds from the state in three days.

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Daily delivered in city by carrier every evening except Sunday
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All Notices will be Charged for except announcements for religious services Copy for display ads must be in office by 2 00 p m If you fail to get your paper phone No 4

TRANSIENTS AND OUTSIDERS

People who are not permanently in the town or city or who spend their dollars in the daily pay envelope that make up the city's wealth and prosperity

Transients in a town or city even if only for a month or two are outsiders as regards the daily pay envelope foundation about to be laid and the upper structure in paper in its new features and advertising column goes toward these transients forming a favorable or detrimental opinion of the place

If the paper has a good advertising patronage it will more than probable have a good news service because with sufficient patronage to justify it the daily will secure the necessary help to furnish the news Some papers publish a good newspaper without enough business to warrant it but it is at a loss and this is what the Daily Ada News has been doing consequently the loss has become somewhat burdensome and monotonous for the past five years

It is to continue to give Ada a creditable daily and maintain the city's reputation for enterprise and prosperity that the editor desires the co-operation of the business and professional men here so as they may bear their proportionate share of the cost the benefit of which all receive directly and indirectly

Reports from different sections of the county indicate that farm work is well in hand and farmers are all hopeful of a good crop year —Denison Herald

A good crop year can generally be expected even under unfavorable weather conditions when the farm work is well in hand

Promise your patronage to your home merchants so long as they merit it by giving you good goods at fair prices —Ardmoreite

And also when they advertise these good goods

PRESS COMMENT

A city with beautiful shade trees always present an attractive appearance Have you shade trees in front of your house?—Denison Herald

The doctors tell us that Rockefeller will live thirty eight years longer What's the use of talking about postal savings banks If this is true?—Ardmoreite

Unless the legislature passes some law on the subject the map makers of Oklahoma are not going to be able to keep up with the changes being made now in county boundaries There are half a dozen or more attempts being made now to take from some counties and add to others or to form new counties out of those now in existence That there are too many counties now in the state is the opinion of many good authorities on the subject and while in some cases the changes are be sought for the purpose of bettering all concerned in many cases it is more the result of animosity or greed Few people are benefited by change of county boundaries or county seats The benefits to be derived from these changes are largely imaginary —Pauls Valley Enterprise

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Half a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery cured me of the worst cold and cough I ever had.— J. R. Pitt, Rocky Mount, N. C.

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The oldest Bank in the County
In the 9th year under our management.
Conservatism First; Profit Second

WE WANT YOUR BUSINESS

HOLD JOINT CAUCUS

Guthrie, Jan. 28 —The fight over the location of public buildings will open Monday night, a joint caucus of the Democratic members of the two houses being called for that time to determine what buildings shall be located. It is the intention before any locations are determined upon to bind the Democratic members to stand by the locations of the majority, this being the only method by which the bills can be put through the House in view of the large Republican representation.

The Senate adopted a motion today offered by Senator Allen contemplating the appointment of a committee of the Legislature to investigate the Revised Statutes of 1908 recently printed by a Kansas City firm The charge is made that laws are omitted and repealed laws allowed to remain Senator Davis was authorized by the Senate to serve notice upon the State Auditor to refuse payment upon warrants for the books until the Legislature had acted According to Senator Allen the committee will have before it the proofreader and the compiler as well as a representative of the publishing house Similar complaint was made in the House yesterday by Mr Jones of Oklahoma City and last week when a resolution was offered in the Senate to make the statutes official it was opposed for reasons similar to those given by Senator Allen today The action then was confined to making the resolution show that the Revised Statutes of 1908 were presumed to be the law

In receiving the House message on Senator Redwine's bill authorizing prisoners to be sentenced to McAlester in place of Lansing Kan which went through the House yesterday with a substitute the Senate refused to accept the change and has asked for a conference committee Senators Edwards Eggleman and Dale were named on part of the Senate Senator Redwine says the House action has materially altered the bill and while not intended partially destroys its purpose In the Redwine bill it was provided that the sentences should be passed to the State penitentiary at McAlester whereas the House added that nothing in the act should be construed as permanently locating the penitentiary at McAlester Representative McElhaney a member of the House Committee on State Institutions and representative of Pittsburg County asked that the House reference to permanent location be eliminated The House refused to do so by an overwhelming vote

The Senate passed finally the Thomas bill repealing the Tillotson act of 1908 which prohibits the carving of counties and creating of new counties after it had been opposed by Senators Blair Franklin and Yeager They contended that the Tillotson act vitalized a section of the State Constitution and the act sought to stop any effort of the people to change county lines The proposed reshaping of Comanche County and the creation of the new county of Park were referred to Senator Blair alluded to the oath of office which all received and said he was bound by it to follow the constitution Senator Thomas of Comanche County explained that the Supreme Court had construed the language of the constitution where it read 'shall' to mean 'may' or to give the Legislature the option and carried with it nothing of the kind When the bill is voted on the location of public buildings This will be the first vote of the session and will be watched with interest to see how each member stands

Senator Blair volunteered a substitute that we should burn the Constitution The Thomas idea prevailed with the bill shorn of the emergency clause

Pensions for Blind

The Senate reconsidered the bill of Senator Yeager permitting counties to pension the blind in the sum of $100 per year which it killed yesterday passed it by a vote of 25 to 14 It was explained action with counties was optional

Final passage was secured on Senator Hatchett's bill prohibiting appeals from Justice of the Peace Courts where the amount involved was less than $25 Senator Wynne's bill for the election of five members at large for boards of education in cities of the first class and Senator Eggleman's bill providing that appeals in misdemeanor causes must be taken within sixty days and in felony cases within six months

Hugo-Antler Contest.

The Hugo Antler contest for the Fourth Fifth and Sixth Districts will be heard this afternoon at 2 o'clock

At noon the committee reported the following to the House

Johnson Union bill Today Johnson asking that the bill be placed upon the calendar for action He stated that it was drawn by the Farmers Union and that they would agitate a bill if the Legislature took no action I want to place you on record he concluded The bill was referred back to the committee

The House passed to third reading and final passage the White bill prohibiting the service of writs processes and the like on legal holidays except in cases of emergency and the Charles bill permitting the sale of apple cider where an internal revenue license is not required

The Senate Wednesday accepted the House amendments to the Campbell Russell demonstration farm bill and the measure goes to the governor The changes were not vital

The bill provides for a 40 acre farm in each county the demonstrator to be elected by farmers unions

The work is to be conducted under the direction of the state board of agriculture

CUBA NOW A REPUBLIC

American Troops Depart and the New President is Inaugurated

Havana Jan 28 —Jose Miguel Gomez was inaugurated first president of the re-established Cuban Republic at a few minutes after noon and the American control of insular affairs came to an end with the departure of former Gov Magoon and all provisional officials The Americans left the harbor on warships and transports immediately after the formal turning over of the government to the native officials An immense crowd stood with bare heads in the Plaza de Armas facing the palace when President Gomez stepped out on the palace balcony and took the oath of office from the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court The president was surrounded by the dignitaries of State and members of the diplomatic corps and the special envoys in brilliant uniforms The day was intensely warm

WANT THE EARTH?

Well if you will be satisfied with a modest portion of it at a modest price we can aid you in attaining that you desire Every man married or single should own real estate Land is an investment It's the only thing that won't run away—unless it is by an earthquake and then you own both sides of the gap Therefore land buying isn't a game of chance—you can't lose on Ada property

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Eastern Oklahoma Insane Asylum has reached an amicable solution in that the Joint Committee on Public Buildings has agreed to send a subcommittee to view the two sites The Stewart Williams resolution pending in the House authorizing this will not be called up The members who are on part of the Senate Senators Newell Nichols and Moore and of the House Representatives Wallace Ross and Gilmer are leaving tonight under appointment of the chairman in their individual capacities but it is understood the committees have agreed to accept their recommendations as final and the towns have agreed that it would be binding upon them This means the committeess will recommend the asylum in one of the two towns or at Vinita the latest applicant When report is made to the House has not been indicated but it will not be before the middle of next week and then probably in a blanket bill

That the House intends to take early action on good roads legislation was indicated by the making

Ada Opera House

Saturday, Jan. 30

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No. 510 due 4:10 p. m.
Westbound.
No. 509 due 9:40 a. m.
No. 507 due 9:00 p. m.

M. K. & T.
Southbound.
No. 111 due 11:10 a. m.
Northbound.
No. 112 due 4:05 p. m.

OKLAHOMA CENTRAL.
Westbound.
No. 3 due 10:32 a. m.
Eastbound.
No. 2 due 4:07 . m.

Fred Hahn, a concrete paving contractor, arrived this morning from Paris, Tex

Hot chocolate at Ramsey's 240tf

J. E Webb who is much improved in health since his treatment at Houston Texas went to Muskogee today on legal business

Hot nerver at Ramsey's. 240tf

H West of Wes & Harrison real estate agents went to Muskogee today on business

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MEAT MARKET

Daggs Bldg.
WEST MAIN ST.
Phone 55.

This new market will keep
FRESH AND FINE
Meat, Hams and Lard
Everything new and experiencep men to handle the meats.

J. B. GAY, Prop.

Frank Jones will buy your county warrants. 262dtf

Will M. Pegg, who went from Allen to California to reside, has returned and will again make Allen his home. The News welcomes him to Pontotoc county again as a citizen.

Car load of Wapco flour received by M. L. WALSH.
261d3t

E. E Matthews who has been to Guthrie in behalf of the normal school for Ada, returned hame today

White Swan coffee at
261d3t M. L. WALSH.

L. J. Little, president of the city council, returned today from a business trip to Oklahoma City and Shawnee.

The Rebeccas will serve ice cream and cake, candy and pop corn at the market Saturday afternoon at Matthew's music store 261d3t

Those desiring to be in the one thousand class of Woodmen Circle for convention to meet at Chickasha in March, will please call on or phone Mesdames Jeff Reed or Alton Kile.

If you have anything to sell let it be known through the News want column. It costs but little and will bring results. One word, first insertion, one cent. Additional insertions a half a cent per word.

OKLAHOMAN IS BURNED OUT

Leading Daily Newspaper of the State is Destroyed and the Loss Great--Will Issue Regularly.

Special to the News.

Oklahoma City, Jan. 29.—Please announce the Oklahoman plant burned today. Papers will be printed tonight at various job offices in the city. Delivery to subscribers will be irregular for two or three days.

New presses and new type setting machines have been ordered by wire and will be installed at earliest possible moment.

E. K. GAYLORD.
Business Manager.

The fire in the Oklahoman building broke out in the basement.

The fire department kept the flames confined to the Oklahoman's building, which was good work, when it is considered that a regular gale was blowing there as it has here all day.

The Oklahoma City Times which is printed by the Oklahoman is also inconvenienced, but its loss is light.

The News extends its sincere condolence to the Daily Oklahoman, because it is a credit to this state as a metropolitan newspaper and a bulwark of strength to the Democracy of the Southwest, and as such is a public institution of such wide influence that any injury, loss or inconvenience to it, effects many

Stafford and Gaylord will come out of the fiery ordeal with a larger and better Oklahoman, because they are men who do things.

Papa Howard Parker.

The Guthrie Leader, the official informant of the more notable occurrences within the circle of the state administration, chronicles the birth of a boy girl on yesterday to Mr and Mrs. Howard Parker.

The entire News force makes its best bow to Howard and "Miss" Francis, for we feel like kin folks to this likely pair, since it was on their account that Mr. Cupid ever deigned to freight the air with his heavenly misses within the walls of the News editorial rooms until each of their dear hearts was punctured

Mr. and Mrs Parker were universally beloved in Ada, as was also his noble mother and dear old grandmother, during their residence with Howard, and the polite public generally will be pleased to hear that all are happily situated in their comfortable Guthrie home within a block of the state capitol, where the gentleman of the three widow ladies, counting Mrs. Howard one, is serving with marked favor and some distinction as the Supreme Court reporter for Oklahoma.

Need the Money.

Those who owe me are requested to settle at once. I accommodated you when you needed help, and now that I need the money, you ought to favor me by prompt settlement.
261d&wtf M. L. WALSH.

Marriage License.

Albert Lillard 22, of Stonewall, and Miss Angie Gore 21, of Lula.

J. M. Case 24, and Miss Cora McCall 19, of Allen

Notice.

I am doing general dray work in the city, and want part of your business Will plow your garden.
d162-2t CHAS. RINARD

This is What You Want.

As my connection with the Oklahoma Baptist Journal compels me to get nearer my office, I will sell my home on 2nd street. I have a five-room building, comfortable and in every way complete, 103 foot front, 140 back, sixty-five peach trees, fine water, good barn. This is a good home. $1000 00 part cash, balance one, two and three years. Title gilt-edge. See me at the News office or at my home.

D. J. AUSTIN.

We still have 98 pounds chops for $1 30, bran, $1.20. Another car coming.

ALDRICH & THOMPSON.

Blue grass, Bermuda and white clover seeds for lawns, at
263dtf PEARSON & NEIL.
Phone 308 Two doors west of Court House.

The Event of the Season.

Marx S Nathan offers George Ade's quaint comedy "The County Chairman" at Ada Opera House, Saturday, the 30th.

"The County Chairman" comes here after a phenominal record-breaking run in all the principal cities of America George Ade has succeeded in producing the play that has long been desired, a straight comedy of absolute cleanliness and devoid of any suggestiveness too often depended upon for the humor of the modern comedy. "The County Chairman" is a picture of country life in the Middle West drawn by a master hand and filled with types so cleverly drawn that we recognize them at a glance. It is a bit of life with all its fun, seriously transferred to the stage and acted by one of the best companies ever seen anywhere. Wm. Chatterton in the title role gives us a strong and altogether effective portrayal of a country leader. The rest of the company is particularly well balanced and combines to make the play one of the most delightful entertainments ever offered The scene is laid in Antioch which stands for any community of the Middle West A good story is well handled and told in most finished style by this splendid company which includes several of the orginal cast

Death of Father of Rev. J. D. White.

Word was received this morning announcing the death of Rev J D. White's father at Ripley, Miss. Mr. White was with the family at the time, and will not reach here in time to hold services at his church, the Presbyterian U. S. A., Sunday.

Judge Barney will fill his pulpit Sunday morning. You are cordially invited to attend the service.

New State Restaurant

Meals served between the hours of 11:30 and 2 o'clock

Short orders served at all hours

Always the best that the market affords

Notice, Rebeccas!

There will be a meeting of the Rebeccas Saturday night for the installation of officers, when all the members are urged to be present.
261d3t

Farm and garden seeds in bulk, at
263dtf PEARSON & NEIL
Phone 308 Two doors west of Court House

League Program.

The following is the program for the intermediate League, Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock:

Subject, "For Loves Sake" (Foreign Missionary Society.)
Leader, Miss Maurine Truitt.
Music.
Oral scripture reading.
Song.
Reading of the lesson.
Prayer.
"What is the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society?" by leader.
"Something of the Lives of These Missionaries," by Misses Lucile Hall and Clytie Young and Freddie Gay.
Recitation, Leona Chauncey
Paper, Bryan Wilson.
Solo, Miss Pearl Fain.

WANTS.

Advertising under this head will be charged at following rates:
One insertion, per word.....1c
Additional insertions, per word..1-2c

FOR SALE.

3,500 acres land principally in Pontotoc, Garvin, Coal and Murray counties, for sale on Square-Deal-Terms. Call at Farmers State Bank or News office for particulars.
252d&wtf

FOR SALE—A good milch cow. Call at R. S. Tobin's store. 261d3t

FOR SALE—A scholarship in the Oklahoma Commercial School.
2613td THE REBECCAS.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Room, hot and cold water. Mrs. Bornett, W, 14th St.
257dtf

FOR RENT—200 acres of prairie land and four houses, four miles north of Roff, and 125 acres of prairie land and good large house two miles east of Roff

J F McKEEL.
260dtf Ada, Oklahoma.

Railroads Gain Most.

In the reductions in tax assessments made by J P. Roetzel, the special state examiner who completed his work in Pontotoc county yesterday evening, the railroads gained the most

In the total reductions, the railroads will save $8,364 00, while on all the other property reduced there is $6,279.00, and a total reduction of taxes of $14,643.00.

The News is indebted to County Clerk Kerr for the above statement.

C. W. Long and R. L. Walker, of Vanoss, are in Ada today.

Notice of Hearing Petition for Appointment of Administrator.

State of Oklahoma, Pontotoc County, In County Court.

In the matter of the estate of George Underwood, deceased.

To the Heirs, Next of Kin, and Creditors of George Underwood, deceased:

You are hereby notified that J. W. Bolen has applied to the County Court of Pontotoc County, State of Oklahoma, for letters of administration on the estate of George Underwood, deceased, to be granted to J. C. Chapman, and that said application will be heard in the Court room of said Court in the City of Ada, in said County, on the 5th day of Feb. 1909, at 1 o'clock p. m., at which time and place any person interested may appear and show cause if any they have why such petition should not be granted.

Witness my hand and the Seal of said Court hereunto affixed this 23rd day of Jan 1909.

JOEL TERRELL,
County Judge.
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Example of the Workings of the "New England Conscience."

A woman who has spent many summers at Haines' Falls in the Catskills tells the following story:

"A mountain wagon full of summer excursionists stopped at the hotel one morning. They wanted to see the falls 'turned on.' In order to assure a good flow of water there is a sort of lock built above the falls. The lock is always kept closed except when somebody makes application to see the falls; then, on payment of a quarter, the gates are thrown open and a fine flow of water pours forth. The old man who had charge of the falls went out and opened the gates; the visitors were delighted, paid their quarter and drove away. About half an hour later another wagonload drove up to the hotel and asked to see the falls. Again the old man went out and opened the gates; but owing to the previous drain on the water supply the result was far from satisfactory, and the spectators were not enthusiastic. The old man noticed the dissatisfaction of the visitors, and was, perhaps, somewhat conscience stricken, for, when he was offered a quarter to pay for opening the gates, he hesitated a moment, then said:

"'No, it wa'n't worth that much. I think there was just 'bout 17 cents' worth that time.'"

CHILD'S CONFIDENCE IN DADDY.

Wanted Papa to Emulate the Historic Act of Moses.

The Sunday school lesson that day had been about Moses leading the children of Israel through the wilderness to the Promised Land, and little Bobby had been particularly impressed by the incident of the prophet striking the rock with his staff and causing the water to gush forth. After Sunday school he took a walk with his father, and could talk of nothing else.

Now, Bobby has an overwhelming respect for his father's prowess, which was not even overshadowed by the remarkable achievement of Moses. He was thoroughly imbued with the idea that there wasn't a thing in the world his father couldn't do if that thing were at all possible of accomplishment. So when they came to a pile of large bowlders, with the Sunday school lesson still uppermost in his mind, he rather startled his father by exclaiming:

"Say, pop, hit a rock. I want a drink!"

Couldn't Place Horace.

"They say that Horace wrote his poems in praise of wine," the school teacher said to the Billville citizen.

"Who? Horace Greeley? Never knowed he writ poetry."

"No, no—the other Horace, who comes from antiquity."

"Never heard tell of him, n'er the place he come from; but it's my opinion, whoever he wuz, that he had mighty little to do to be wastin' words on wine, when the country has more 100-proof corn licker than it kin consume convenient; but, come ter think of it, the less said 'bout corn, new or old, in the north Georgy region, the better. The blamed ol' government is mighty watchful!"—Atlanta Constitution.

Gratuitous Advice.

A man had sat for some time in a restaurant, looking thoughtfully at his saucer of melting ice cream. At last he left his chair and made his way to the proprietor.

"I see you advertise that you make your own ice cream," he said, in a confidential tone.

"I do, sir," said the proprietor.

"Well," said the man, "would you permit me to give you a little pointer? I won't charge you a cent, and it'll be money in your pocket."

"Glad to hear it, I'm sure," said the proprietor.

"Get somebody else to make it," said the man, in a hoarse whisper.—Youth's Companion.

All in the Mind.

On the opening day of one winter session the late Prof Tait of Edinburgh university entered the natural philosophy classroom in the midst of the uproarous applause common to those occasions.

Presently he looked up at the tumultuous benches above him with the smile of one who had known the ways of students for a lifetime.

At last, when a momentary lull came, he remarked, his gray eyes twinkling:

"Gentlemen, I must remind you that there is really no such thing as noise. It is merely a matter of subjective impression."—Youth's Companion

Flowers for the Prima Donna.

It is said that the opera stars do not receive as many flowers as formerly. The treasurer of a certain company said to me the other day: "Ten years ago it was nothing for a prima donna to receive in a single night $2,000 or $3,000 worth of flowers. If one of the best gets $500 worth after a great performance nowadays she is mighty lucky. It used to keep most of our ushers busy handing floral pieces over the footlights, or spilling them on the heads of the musicians. One usher can take care of the job now."—N. Y. Press.

The Bird in Hand.

Lonny—Say, let's promise to marry each other when we grow up.

Gracie—Oh, no. I might like somebody else better then.

Lonny—Me, too.

Gracie (hastily)—Oh, yes, let's do promise.

TAKE A PLEASANT THOUGHT TO BED WITH YOU.

Psychologists tell us that the mental processes which are active on retiring continue far into the night. We have all dreamed of continuing an evening's experience during sleep, enjoying again the beautiful songs we have heard. This shows how important it is not to retire to rest in a fit of temper, or in an ugly, unpleasant mood. We should get ourselves into mental harmony, should become serene and quiet before retiring, and, if possible, lie down with a smile on the face, no matter how long it takes to secure this condition. Never retire with a frown on your brow; with a perplexed troubled, vexed expression. Smooth out the wrinkles; drive away all the enemies of your peace of mind, and never allow yourself to go to sleep with an unkind, critical, cruel, jealous thought toward anyone.

It is bad enough to feel inimical toward others when under severe provocation or in a hot temper, but you can not afford to deliberately continue this state of mind after the provocation has ceased. You can not afford to wear and tear upon your nervous system and your health. It takes too much out of you.

Mental discord dries up the spirits, ages us prematurely, shortens life, and ruins our happiness. It does not pay to indulge in violent temper, corroding thoughts, mental discord in any form. Life is too short, too precious, to pe any part of it in such unprofitable, soul-raking health-destroying business.

Be at peace with all the world at least once every twenty-four hours. You cannot afford to allow the enemies of your happiness and your manhood or womanhood to etch their miserable images deeper and deper into your character as you sleep.

Many of us with crotchety, sour dispositions and quick tempers sometimes have very hard work to be decent in our treatment of others. But we can, at least when we are alone, when we get away from people who nettle and antagonize us, smooth out the wrinkles and forget all injuries; we can quit harboring unpleasant thoughts and hard feelings toward others.

It is a great thing to form a habit of forgetting and forgiving at night, of clearing the mind of unhappiness and success enemies. If we have been impulsive, foolish or wicked during the day in our treatment of others; if we have been holding our vicious, ugly revengeful jealous attitude toward others, it is a good time to wipe off the slate and start anew. It is a blesed thing to put into practice Paul's exhortation to the Ephesians: "Let not the sun go down upon your wrath."

It ought to be the deliberate custom in every home to make the evening just as pleasant as possible, and to see to it that no member of the family retires in an unhappy mood. An evening happiness bath, a bath of love and good will toward every living creature, is more important than a water bath.

We should take special pains to erase the memory of all unfortunate experiences of the day, all business or professional troubles and anxieties, in order to retire in a placid, peaceful, harmonious state of mind; not only because of the necessity of rising refreshed and invigorated in the morning, but because the character and the disposition are affected by the condition of the mind upon falling asleep. Mental discords prevent sound sleep and leave poisonous waste in the blood, and this in turn dulls and impairs the brain action.

Many business men suffer so much torture at night that some of them actually dread to retire because of the long, tedious wakeful hours. Financial troubles are particularly exaggarated at night, even many optimists suffer more or less from pessimism then.

We should fall asleep in the most cheerful and the happiest possible frame of mind. Our minds should be filled with lofty thoughts—with thoughts of love and of helpfulness—thoughts which will continue to create that which is helpful and uplifting, which will refresh the soul and help us to awaken in the morning refreshed and in superb condition for the day's work.

If you have any difficulty in banishing unpleasant or torturing thought, force yourself to read some good, inspiring book—something that will smooth out your wrinkles and put you in a happy mood; something that will make you see the real grandeur and beauty of life; something that will make you feel ashamed of petty meanness and narrow, uncharitable thoughts.

After a little practice, you will be surprised to see how quickly and completely you can change your whole mental attitude so that you will face life the right way before you fall asleep.

You will be surprised also to find how serene and calm, how wonderfully refreshed and rejuvinated you will be when you wake in the morning, and how much easier it will be to start right, and wear a smile that won't come off for the day, than it was when you went to bed in an ill-humored, worrying, or ugly mood, or full of ungenerous, uncharitable thoughts.—Success Magazine.

A SUFFICIENT REMEDY.

We used to hear a great deal about depravity, but less is said about it now. Yet there is as much depravity now as there was in former times. Science and culture have not eliminated depravity. Philosophers say nothing about depravity, but they frighten us with the doctrine of heredity. One is a theological term, the other philosophical, but who can tell the difference?

Social reformer tell us that there is evil in the blood. You can not make good men unless you have good blood. Some base people excuse themselves for their wickedness on this ground. They say, "we are not to blame. We were born bad. The law of heredity dooms us."

In reply to all this we may say there is another law stronger than the law of heredity. It is the law of the spirit of life in Christ Jesus. There is another energy superior to the force of depravity. It is the power of Christ. There is another blood more potent than the tainted blood which we inherited from our ancesters. It is the blood of Christ which cleanseth from all sin. One who has been so unfortunate as to be born bad may be born again, born from above, born of God. He had a depraved and degenerate ancestry, but he may have a royal ancestry. He may be the child of a King. One who, through long years of sinful indulgence, has cultivated evil habits until he is fast bound in the fetters of sin and vice may be made free. "If the Son shall make you free, ye shall be free indeed."—Christian Advocate.

PRAYER AND PRAISE.

Human Independence.

Life is so intense, every day so filled with problems to solve and work to be done, that we are in danger of being so absorbed in our own part of it as to totally forget others engaged in as fierce a struggle, facing as hard a day's work, with, perhaps, less strength with which to meet it. To us our work is important and ought to be. The mother must keep the children's clothes whole and clean, the children themselves wholesome and happy. The wife must see that dinner and supper are prepared properly for her husband's eating and that the home is cheery and bright for his coming. But that is not all that is required of a wife and mother. She has neighbors, and the well-being and happiness of their children are also a part of her business; while the chance stranger has claims upon her time and helpfulness.

The merchant hurries to his store, is absorbed all day long with difficult, vexing situations. But the price of goods, the condition of the market, the disposal of what will soon be uncalled for, these are not the only issues for his settlement. If he grows weary of the burdens pressing upon him, so do his clerks weary of standing all day waiting on exacting customers; so do customers weary, who, often with but little money, must meet many needs. The nerve-worn buyer, as well as the nerve-worn clerk and merchant, need the courteous word, the gentle forbearance of Christian love, the atmosphere of friendliness. In other words, no person is independent; all are interdependent. Each of us, whether we wish it or not, is in some measure dependent on his neighbor, and is in his turn responsible for his neighbor's well-being and comfort.

How many weary hearts are longing, breaking, for the word of sympathy you and I might give were we not too busy with our own affairs to know it is needed! What heartaches could be cured, what difficulties vanquished, what burdens lightened, if we but realized our privilege and utilized it by going about, as did our Lord, doing good! Not ostentatiously, with the blowing of trumpets, calling on all in need to come and partake of our royal bounty; but quietly, in tender, steady, sympathetic love, going about with wide-open eyes, ready hands, ever-present smiles; lifting a little here, comforting a little there, scattering sunshine everywhere; giving those about us what they most crave—leisure in which to listen to their woes, in which to touch them with our warm human hands! O that we might learn the divine art of making whole!

DEMOCRATS OPPOSE REPUBLICAN AGREEMENT

Washington, Jan. 28.—Republican leaders have reached an agreement as to the Brownsville imbroglio that is satisfactory both to the president and Senator Foraker. It provides, in brief, for the appointment of a commission of five army officers, none of whom is to be below the rank of colonel. All negroes from the discharged troops desiring to be reenlisted must apply to this board and be subjected to an examination. Such as prove themselves innocent of any knowledge of the Brownsville shooting will be recommended for reenlistment, the final decision to be made by the secretary of war. Pay from the date of their discharge is to be given to such as are reenlisted by this process.

Democrats Not Satisfied.

The Democrats were first appraised of this agreement this afternoon by Senator Aldrich, who brought a rough draft of the proposed legislation to their cloak room. Senator Aldrich apparently thought it would be satisfactory to them. In this assumption he was wrong. Almost immediately the Democrats declared the effect of it would be to condone an atrocious crime, for they declared that it was hardly conceivable that there was a single one of the discharged troops who could not, if he would, give some information that would lead to the discovery of the men who actually did the shooting. They asserted that while perhaps only a few did the shooting, all of them had made themselves accessories after the fact, and, that inasmuch as the agreement itself tacitly admitted that the shooting was done by the troops, it would be wrong to extend mercy to any who had shielded them. The Democrats made it plain that they would resist any effort to pass such a measure, and undoubtedly they could make their resistence effectual during this session at least. It is doubtful, under these circumstances, if the Republicans will press the measure, though they had imagined when they agreed among themselves that it could be put through without opposition.

Vexes Republicans.

The whole matter has been a vexatious one to the Republicans. That is one reason of their eagerness to be rid of it. But they have a further incentive in the feeling that as the matter stands now it is a constant source of danger to some of them. It is said that the election of a Democratic Legislature in Indiana was due somewhat to the resentment of the negroes. Besides, it is felt that when the negroes shall finally come to the conclusion that nothing is to be done to repair what they regard as an injustice, they will then vent their anger. The agreement among the Republicans, therefore, is prompted largely by considerations of political expedience.

As to the agreement between the president and Senator Foraker, it is as has been said tacitly admitted that the shooting was done by the negroes. To that extent Senator Foraker yields. But he believes that none of them can be convicted either of having done the shooting or of having knowledge of it. Certainly the great efforts the president has already made have convinced no one but himself as to who were the ones who did the shooting, and Senator Foraker believes that the proceeding proposed would result in the re-enlistment of nearly, if not quite all, of them.

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Church Directory

First Baptist Church.

No pastor at present. Prayermeeting every Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Sunday School 9:45 a. m., W. U. Duncan, superintendent. B. Y. P. U. Sunday afternoon at 6:30.

Christian Church

Services Sunday morning at 11 and Sunday evening at 7:30. Rev. C. E. Smootz, pastor.

Sunday School at 10 a. m., L. T. Walters, superintendent.

Ladies Aid meets first and third Wednesdays and C. W. B. M. first Thursday in each month. Prayermeeting every Wednesday evening at 7:30.

First Presbyterian Church.

Services every Sunday morning at 11 and evening at 7:30. Rev. W. T. Ahrenbeck, pastor.

Sunday School at 9:45 a. m., J. T. Higgins, superintendent. Prayermeeting every Wednesday evening at 7:30. Ladies Aid Society meets every other Wednesday.

Presbyterian Church.

Services Sunday morning at 11 J. D. White, pastor.

Sunday School at 9:45, Orville Sneed, superintendent. Junior Endeavor society meets every Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Ladies Aid Society meets every Monday afternoon at 2:30.

First Methodist Church.

Services Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and Sunday evening at 7:30 Rev. W. M. Wilson, pastor.

Sunday School every Sunday morning at 10 o'clock, T. F. Pierce, superintendent. Prayermeeting every Wednesday evening at 7:30. Senior League meets every Sunday evening at 6:30. Intermediate and Junior Leagues meet Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Home Mission Society meets every Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock, except 3rd Monday. Foreign Mission Society meets every 3rd Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock Teachers meeting every Tuesday evening at 7:30.

North Ada Baptist Church.

Services every Sunday morning at 11 and Sunday evening at 7 o'clock Rev. D. J. Austin, pastor.

Sunday School every Sunday morning at 9:45, A. N. Harrison, superintendent. Prayermeeting every Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock. Ladies Aid Society meets every Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Asbury Methodist Church.

Services first and third Sunday mornings at 11 and Sunday evening, also fourth Sunday evening of each months.

Sunday school every Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, W. L. Roddie, superintendent. Prayermeeting every Wednesday evening at 7:30.

Junior League meets every Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Senior League meets every Sunday evening at 6:30.

Woman's Home Missionary Society meets first and third Wednesdays of each month.

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Teachers' Examinations.

The examination of teachers is concluded this evening and they depart for their respective homes.

Phil McLachlan of Dolberg, and Bunyan Smith of Homer school, attended today.

The examining board composed of County Superintendent Pierce, A. L. Norton and A. L. Fentem, is completing the grades of the teachers. this evening.

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After a continuous publication of a daily paper for five full years in a city only eight years old and at a loss with which the business public has been frankly made acquainted, will any Ada citizen criticise the action of the editor after he has exhausted all his readily convertable resources in the support of the respectable maintenance of the daily edition of the News, when he throws up his hands and takes the business public into his entire confidence concerning the future requirements of such publication.

The News editor, of the optimistic school, has thought from season to season that a general commercial growth was just ahead, which would enable the daily to pay its own way, but alas and alack, such realization has been as chimerical as the dear lady with the bag of gold at the end of the rain bow. But with it all, we do not suffer with regret on account of the manner of the life of Ada's daily paper or the losses which have been sustained, for on the whole, under all the circumstances, the Ada public has extended its daily publication kindly treatment.

Since the News proprietor has issued letter of announcement that the Daily News must secure an additional advertising support in order to maintain an uninterrupted, respectable daily publication, there has resulted some embarrassment to him through the extravagant view of one or two industrious, but miserably lame minds, that the printed and distributed candid statement that he had reached the end of his readily convertable outside resources was nothing more or less than a little prelude to his 'going broke." Fearing that such "going broke" prediction might secure some impetus through the malicious activity of one or two hunchback minds, thereby producing a lack of sufficient confidence among some in a proposition the News proprietor proposes to make on an appropriate occasion to the business citizens of Ada, the statement is as simply and frankly made as those published in circular letter about being hard up, that when the News proprietor "goes broke" that there will go ahead those Ada wolves, with property interests, who have never been known to subscribe to the welfare of the public good in whatever clime they pursued their prey. The Ada public will sufficiently agree that this declaration is a marked showing of confidence in our stability, for the wolf of the genus homo breed can only go broke when his avarice oversteps human discretion, which as a rule does not occur, since cunning and cowardice are the wolf's trump and stacked cards.

The whole proposition involved in the News's printed letter to the business public is no more or less than what is stated as plainly and candidly as we knew how.

The reason the business public was taken into our entire confidence relative to the financial losses incurred in the publication of the Daily News was the recognition that unless more substantial advertising support should be afforded, or unless the daily edition of the News should be suspended, that there would be required a sacrifice of our limited outside resources which we did not propose or consider required during these piping times of pinch and poverty.

The writer is frank to state that it would cause him to feel very bad, after issuing a daily paper for five years, to feel that it was a business incumbency, that he should suspend publication, for aside from the natural, though after all inconsequential affliction of pride which goes with failure to conduct any enterprise, especially of one's own initiation, to successful conclusion, there results on such account hurtful financial consequences involved through a commercial disparagement by the credit public and the possession of five or six thousand dollars in printing machinery and equipment essential to the publication of a daily paper, but not necessary to the publication of a weekly paper or to the conduct of a job printing business.

The Evening News has a good circulation. Substantially every reading family in the city regularly receives the daily, with the exception of its floating populace. The fact that the Daily News visits the exchange desk of nearly an hundred publications throughout the state and is constantly favorer with a reproduction through the columns of many of its contemporaries of some of its utterances, reflects more or less favorable advertisement in behalf of this city.

Properly distributed, there could result no loss or burden of any consequence whatever to Ada's business public should it extend the Daily News a self supporting patronage during 1909.

It is confidently thought that after this year the city of Ada will have become large and progressive enough to maintain a paper through the ordinary demand for advertising benefits.

The manner in which our people hold Ada to the front during 1909 as a town with all the essential qualifications to become a city will probably determine the status of its future commercial metropolitan proportions.

If proper economy of publication is guaranteed, will not the business and property interests of Ada extend a self supporting patronage to the Daily News during this year?

ADA'S STATE NORMAL.

The State Normal news from Guthrie is favorable. Durant continues to kick against the pricks, but of no avail. The probabilities are that Democratic caucuses of the Legislature will control the public building locations in detail.

There was a party caucus of the Senate last night and will be a party caucus of the House tonight and on Monday night there will be a joint caucus, when definite action will be taken as to method and procedure

Ardmore will probably support Ada for the Normal

There is a considerable contest among Nowata, Tahlequah and Tulsa for the Northeast Normal, which could result in some embarrassment to Ada's position

A telephone from Chief Clerk Ebey states that the situation is well in hand, but on account of the certain prospect of important events in the matter of building locations next week, it is desired by our representatives and Mr. Ebey, that a goodly committee from Ada come up the first of the week.

The fight is now on in earnest.

GALE IN OKLAHOMA

Lawton, Okla., Jan. 28.—Southwestern Oklahoma this afternoon experienced a severe wind and sandstorm, which was most severe at Mangum, where several small fires occurred. The Mangum cotton gin caught fire, tonight, loss $4,000.

Ardmore, Okla., Jan. 28.—Terrific windstorm passed over this section this afternoon. A portion of office wall of the Commercial Hotel blew down and Mrs. Tom Laster narrowly escaped death. Two rooms were destroyed. The Arlington Hotel was blown from its foundation and badly damaged. The storm was accompanied by clouds of dust

Guthrie, Ok., Jan. 28.—With a gale blowing at sixty miles an hour, the air yellow with dust and the horizon obscured, Northern Oklahoma this afternoon endured the most severe wind and sandstorm of the last five years.

Reports indicate the full fury of the storm was centered in Alfalfa County, where the towns of Carmen and Goltry suffered considerable property damage, several buildings being damaged and serious loss by telephone companies Tonight telegraphic communication from Oklahoma north is demoralized and conditions grow worse as the storm advances southwardly

Guthrie has suffered some loss by the destruction of small houses, the blowing down of awnings and smashing of plate glass Rural and toll telephone lines are all out of commission.

Enid, Okla., Jan. 28.—About noon today, a gale struck this part of the state, coming from the west. Its velocity was estimated at from forty to sixty miles an hour.

To the west of Enid the wires are down on both the Santa Fe and Frisco, but it is known that considerable damage has been done in several towns on both roads.

At Carmen, thirty miles to the west, a fire started in a feed yard and the wind scattering the burning hay over the north part of the town, burning several houses and barns before being brought under control.

At Goltry, twenty miles to the west, the large elevator of the Enid Mill and Elevator Company was blown over and also several small buildings.

This afternoon a plate glass window in the Watrous Drug Store, this city, twelve by sixteen, blew in and the glass cut several persons in the store, Mrs. Davidson of Canada, a visitor in the city, being severely hurt.

The gale spent itself in about five hours, and was the hardest wind ever known in this section.

The gale also struck Ada, but not so fierce as reported at other places, as we are protected by hills and timber from the ferocity of wind.

It was blowing as hard here this morning as at any time.

The rear of frame school house in Sunrise was slightly moved and a barn blown down.

The wooden awning in front of the hardware store of R. E Haynes was blown down this morning.

The electric wires for incandescent lights were disconnected by the blowing down of the awning at Haynes' hardware store, but are again connected.

Just Received

A new supply of Edison Records, 2 and 4 minute. We also sell phonographs and supplies.

Ramsey's Drug Store
Phone No. 6
"We're in business for your health."

White Swan Coffee
The Best By Test

White Swan Coffee users get a valuable souvenir in addition to the highest possible quality. Do you get such value in the coffee you are now drinking?

A FINE LINE OF
Paint and Wall Paper
AT THE
Crescent Drug Store
Contract Work Done
See Dr. Holley and W. P. Brinlee
In the Rollow Building. Phone 18

Value of Oklahoma School Lands.

Guthrie, Ok., Jan. 28.—The governor's message shows that the school lands of the state are valued at $31,197,726; the improvements $5,223,815, and the total acreage 3,126,495. The data was gleaned from the latest appraisement.

It must be glorious to live in a climate where the girls and boys skate on the ice together and hold each other's hands.

In Selecting a Bank

with which to do your business the first consideration is the character and standing of its officers and directors and the financial resources of the Bank.
Judged by these standards your confidence and patronage are merited by the

First National Bank of Ada
W. L. Reed, Pres. C. H. Rives, Vice Pres.
H. T. Douglas, V. P. M. D. Timberlake, Cashier

CHARGES AGAINST HEARST AGENT

Guthrie, Okla., Jan 28—The storm that has been revolving around Scott McReynolds, an accredited agent of William Randolph Hearst's legal advisers, since his arrest here two weeks ago on a charge of conspiracy against Gov. Haskell, broke into sudden fury here today when a delegation of prominent Muskogee citizens headed by C. W. Briles, city superintendent of schools, appeared in Guthrie with a photo on one Mark Van Houghton, a copy of a picture in the rogue's gallery of Detroit, Mich., who it is stated had served a term at Detroit, and attempted to identify McReynolds as the said Houghton.

Briles was a school mate of a McReynolds at the University of North Carolina and knows him well. He says the photo of Houghton is an exact likeness of the McReynolds he knew as he last saw him.

McReynolds has already forced Oklahoma newspapers to publish retractions of articles in which Governor Haskell was quoted as saying that McReynolds was a conspirator and an ex-convict Governor Haskell has possession of the photo and says he will drive McReynolds from the state in three days.

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"OUR MOTTO: Purity, Accuracy, Prompt, Courteous and Fair Treatment of all.

Special attention to filling prescriptions and family receipts.

We guarantee the absolute correctness and purity of every ingredient used.

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Daily delivered in city by carrier every evening except Sunday
The Weekly will be sent to responsible subscribers until ordered discontinued and all arrearages are paid

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Local Readers per line 5c
Local Readers per line black face 7c
All Notices will be Charged for except announcements for religious services Copy for display ads must be in office by 2 00 p m If you fail to get your paper phone No 4

TRANSIENTS AND OUTSIDERS

People w ... t m o ... t ... town ... the ... th ... through ... that mel ... in ... something ... the

Transient ... a town or city even if only for ... read the daily ... about ... the ... paper in its news columns and advertising column goes ... toward these transients forming a favorable or detrimental opinion of the place

It the paper has a good advertising patronage it will more than probable have a good news service because with sufficient patronage to justify it the daily will secure the necessary help to furnish the news Some papers publish a good newspaper without enough business to warrant it but it is at a loss and this is what the Daily Ada News has been doing consequently the loss has become somewhat burden some and monotonous for the past five years

It is to continue to give Ada a creditable daily and maintain the city's reputation for enterprise and prosperity that the editor desires the co-operation of the business and professional men here so as they may bear their proportionate share of the cost the benefit of which all receive directly and indirectly

Promise your patronage to your home merchants so long as they merit it by giving you good goods at fair prices.—Ardmoreite

And also when they advertise them good goods.

PRESS COMMENT

A city with beautiful shade trees always present an attractive appearance Have you shade trees in front of your house?—Denison Herald

The doctors tell us that Rockefeller will live thirty eight years longer What's the use of talking about postal savings banks if this is true?—Ardmoreite

Unless the legislature passes some law on the subject the map makers of Oklahoma are not going to be able to keep up with the changes being made now in county boundaries There are half a dozen or more attempts being made now to take from some counties and add to others or to form new counties out of those now in existence That there are too many counties now in the state is the opinion of many good authorities on the subject and while in some cases the changes are being sought for the purpose of bettering all concerned in many cases it is more the result of animosity or greed Few people are benefited by change of county boundaries or county seats The benefits to be derived from these changes are largely imaginary.—Pauls Valley Enterprise

Reports from different sections of the county indicate that farm work is well in hand and farmers are all hopeful of a good crop year.—Denison Herald

A good crop year can generally be expected even under unfavorable weather conditions when the farm work is well in hand

KING OF ALL THROAT & LUNG REMEDIES
DR. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY
QUICKEST, SAFEST, SUREST
COUGH AND COLD —CURE—
AND HEALER OF ALL DISEASES OF LUNGS, THROAT AND CHEST
CURED BY HALF A BOTTLE
Half a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery cured me of the worst cold and cough I ever had.— J. R. Pitt, Rocky Mount, N. C.
PRICE 50c AND $1.00
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ADA National Bank
Capital, $50,000 Surplus, $17,000
The oldest Bank in the County
In the 9th year under our management.
Conservatism First; Profit Second
WE WANT YOUR BUSINESS

HOLD JOINT CAUCUS

Guthrie, Jan. 28.—The fight over the location of public buildings will open Monday night, a joint caucus of the Democratic members of the two houses being called for that time to determine what buildings shall be located. It is the intention before any locations are determined upon to bind the Democratic members to stand by the locations of the majority, this being the only method by which the bills can be put through the House in view of the large Republican representation.

The Senate adopted a motion today offered by Senator Allen contemplating the appointment of a committee of the Legislature to investigate the Revised Statutes of 1908 recently printed by a Kansas City firm The charge is made that laws are omitted and repealed laws allowed to remain Senator Davis was authorized by the Senate to serve notice upon the State Auditor to refuse payment upon warrants for the books until the Legislature had acted According to Senator Allen the committee will have before it the proofreader and the compiler as well as a representative of the publishing house Similar complaint was made in the House yesterday by Mr Jones of Oklahoma City and last week when a resolution was offered in the Senate to make the statutes official it was opposed for reasons similar to those given by Senator Allen today The action then was confined to making the resolution show that the Revised Statutes of 1908 were presumed to be the law

In receiving the House message on Senator Redwine's bill authorizing prisoners to be sentenced to McAlester in place of Lansing Kan which went through the House yesterday with a substitute the Senate refused to accept the change and has asked for a conference committee Senators Edwards, Eggerman and D... were named on part of the Senate Senator Redwine says the House action has materially altered the bill and while not intended partially destroys its purpose In the Redwine bill it was provided that the sentences should be passed to the State penitentiary at McAlester whereas the House added that nothing in the act should be construed as permanently locating the penitentiary at McAlester Representative McElhaney a member of the House Committee on State Institutions and representative of Pittsburg County asked that the House reference to permanent location be eliminated The House refused to do so by an overwhelming vote

The Senate passed finally the Thomas bill repealing the Tillotson act of 1908 which put in the curbing of counties and creating of new counties after it had been opposed by Senators Blair Franklin and Yeager They contended that the Tillotson act vitalized a section of the State Constitution and the act sought to stop any effort of the people to change county lines The proposed reshaping of Comanche County and the creation of the new county of Park were referred to Senator Blair alluded to the oath of office which all received and said he was bound by it to follow the constitution Senator Thomas of Comanche County explained that the Supreme Court had construed the language of the constitution where it read 'shall' to mean 'may' or to give the Legislature the option and carried with it nothing ... the ... to ... a vote of ... When the bill ... Thomas ...

... effect ... recond ... ation Senator Blair volunteered a statement that we should burn the Constitution The Thomas idea prevailed with the bill shorn of the emergency clause

Pensions for Blind

The Senate reconsidered the bill of Senator Yeager permitting counties to pension the blind in the sum of $100 per year which it killed yesterday passed it by a vote of 25 to 14 It was explained action with counties was optional

Final passage was secured on Senator Hatchett's bill prohibiting appeals from Justice of the Peace Courts where the amount involved was less than $25 Senator Wynne's bill for the election of five members at large for boards of education in cities of the first class and Senator Eggerman's bill providing that appeals in misdemeanor causes must be taken within sixty days and in felony cases within six months

Hugo-Antlers Contest.

The Hugo-Antlers contest for the ... with the Primm and Smith for Cisteri to ... bills ... of ... to ... flaten ... An ... committee report ... Johnson asking that the bill be placed upon the calendar for action He stated that it was drawn by the Farmers Union and that they would institute a bill if the Legislature took no action I want to place you on record he concluded The bill was referred back to the committee

The House passed to third reading and final passage the White bill prohibiting the service of writs processes and the like on legal holidays except in cases of emergency and the Charles bill permitting the sale of apple cider where an internal revenue license is not required

The Senate Wednesday accepted the House amendments to the Campbell Russell demonstration farm bill and the measure goes to the governor The changes were not vital

The bill provides for a 40 acre farm in each county the demonstrator to be elected by farmers unions ... work is to be conducted under the direction of the state board of agriculture

CUBA NOW A REPUBLIC

Americans Depart and the New President Is Inaugurated

Havana Jan 28.—Jose Miguel Gomez was inaugurated first president of the re-established Cuban Republic at a few minutes after noon and the American control of insular affairs came to an end with the departure of former Gov Magoon and all provisional officials The Americans left the harbor on warships and transports immediately after the formal turning over of the government to the native officials An immense crowd stood with bare heads in the Plaza de Armas facing the palace when President Gomez stepped out on the palace balcony and took the oath of office from the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court The president was surrounded by the dignitaries of State and members of the diplomatic corps and the special envoys in brilliant uniforms The day was intensely warm

WANT THE EARTH?

Well if you will be satisfied with a modest portion of it at a modest price we can aid you in attaining it if you desire Every man may own a small ... should own real estate It is an investment. It's the only thing that won't run away—unless it is by an earthquake and then you own both sides of the gap There is no land buying isn't a game of chance—you can't lose on Ada property

Let Us Show You
Hardin & Blanks
Office Ada National Bank Building

Eastern Oklahoma Insane Asylum has reached an amicable solution in that the Joint Committee on Public Buildings has agreed to send a subcommittee to view the two sites The Stewart Williams resolution pending in the House authorizing this will not be called up The members who are on part of the Senate Senators Newell, Echols and Moore and of the House Representatives Wallace Ross and Gilmer are leaving tonight under appointment of the chairman in their individual capacities but it is understood the committees have agreed to accept their recommendations as final and the towns have agreed that it would be binding upon them This means the committees will recommend the asylum in one of the two towns or at Vinita the latest applicant When report is made to the House has not been indicated but it will not be before the middle of next week and then probably in a blanket bill

That the House intends to take early action on good roads legislation was indicated by the making

Ada Opera House
Saturday, Jan. 30
Marx S Nathan Presents a Guaranteed Attraction
GEO ADE'S COMEDY DRAMA

THE COUNTY CHAIRMAN

A Successful Play of Love and Politics Bristling with Brilliant W
A $1.50 Show at These Prices:
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Investigation will prove our rates very reasonable and points that may be reached very numerous
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RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

FRISCO.
Eastbound.
No. 508 due 9:15 a. m.
No. 510 due 4:10 p. m.
Westbound.
No. 509 due 9:40 a. m.
No. 507 due 9:00 p. m.

M. K. & T.
Southbound.
No. 111 due 11:10 a. m.
Northbound.
No. 112 due 4:06 p. m.

OKLAHOMA CENTRAL.
Westbound.
No. 3 due 10:32 a. m.
Eastbound.
No. 2 due 4:07 . m.

Fred Hahn, a concrete paving contractor, arrived this morning from Paris, Tex

Hot chocolate at Ramsey's 240tf

J. E Webb who is much improved in health since his treatment at Houston Texas went to Muskogee today on legal business

Hot nerver at Ramsey's. 240tf

H West of Wes & Harrison real estate agents went to Muskogee today on business

CITY
MEAT MARKET
Daggs Bldg.
WEST MAIN ST.
Phone 55.
This new market will keep
FRESH AND FINE
Meat, Hams and Lard
Everything new and experienced men to handle the meats.
J. B. GAY, Prop.

Frank Jones will buy your county warrants. 262dtf

Will M. Pegg, who went from Allen to California to reside, has returned and will again make Allen his home. The News welcomes him to Pontotoc county again as a citizen.

Car load of Wapco flour received by M. L. WALSH.
261d3t

E. E Matthews who has been to Guthrie in behalf of the normal school for Ada, returned hame today.

White Swan coffee at
261d3t M. L. WALSH.

L. J. Little, president of the city council, returned today from a business trip to Oklahoma City and Shawnee.

The Rebeccas will serve ice cream and cake, candy and pop corn at the market Saturday afternoon at Matthew's music store 261d3t

Those desiring to be in the one thousand class of Woodmen Circle for convention to meet at Chickasha in March, will please call on or phone Mesdames Jeff Reed or Alton Kile.

If you have anything to sell let it be known through the News want column. It costs but little and will bring results. One word, first insertion, one cent. Additional insertions a half a cent per word.

OKLAHOMAN IS BURNED OUT

Leading Daily Newspaper of the State is Destroyed and the Loss Great--Will Issue Regularly.

Special to the News.

Oklahoma City, Jan. 29.—Please announce the Oklahoman plant burned today. Papers will be printed tonight at various job offices in the city. Delivery to subscribers will be irregular for two or three days.

New presses and new type setting machines have been ordered by wire and will be installed at earliest possible moment.

E. K. GAYLORD,
Business Manager.

The fire in the Oklahoman building broke out in the basement.

The fire department kept the flames confined to the Oklahoman's building, which was good work, when it is considered that a regular gale was blowing there as it has here all day.

The Oklahoma City Times which is printed by the Oklahoman is also inconvenienced, but its loss is light.

The News extends its sincere condolence to the Daily Oklahoman, because it is a credit to this state as a metropolitan newspaper and a bulwark of strength to the Democracy of the Southwest, and as such is a public institution of such wide influence that any injury, loss or inconvenience to it, effects many

Stafford and Gaylord will come out of the fiery ordeal with a larger and better Oklahoman, because they are men who do things.

Papa Howard Parker.

The Guthrie Leader, the official informant of the more notable occurrences within the circle of the state administration, chronicles the birth of a boy girl on yesterday to Mr and Mrs. Howard Parker.

The entire News force makes its best bow to Howard and "Miss" Francis, for we feel like kin folks to this likely pair, since it was on their account that Mr. Cupid ever deigned to freight the air with his heavenly misses within the walls of the News editorial rooms until each of their dear hearts was punctured

Mr. and Mrs Parker were universally beloved in Ada, as was also his noble mother and dear old grand mother, during their residence with Howard, and the polite public generally will be pleased to hear that all are happily situated in their comfortable Guthrie home within a block of the state capitol, where the gentleman of the three widow ladies, counting Mrs. Howard one, is serving with marked favor and some distinction as the Supreme Court reporter for Oklahoma.

Need the Money.

Those who owe me are requested to settle at once. I accommodated you when you needed help, and now that I need the money, you ought to favor me by prompt settlement.
261d&wtf M. L. WALSH.

Marriage License.

Albert Lillard 22, of Stonewall, and Miss Angie Gore 21, of Lula.

J. M. Case 24, and Miss Cora McCall 19, of Allen

Notice.

I am doing general dray work in the city, and want part of your business Will plow your garden.
d162-3t CHAS. RINARD

This is What You Want.

As my connection with the Oklahoma Baptist Journal compels me to get nearer my office, I will sell my home on 2nd street. I have a five-room building, comfortable and in every way complete, 103 foot front, 140 back, sixty-five peach trees, fine water, good barn. This is a good home. $1000 00 part cash, balance one, two and three years. Title gilt-edge. See me at the News office or at my home.

D. J. AUSTIN.

We still have 98 pounds chops for $1 30, bran, $1.20. Another car coming.

ALDRICH & THOMPSON.

Blue grass, Bermuda and white clover seeds for lawns, at
263dtf PEARSON & NEIL.
Phone 308 Two doors west of Court House.

The Event of the Season.

Marx S Nathan offers George Ade's quaint comedy "The County Chairman" at Ada Opera House, Saturday, the 30th.

"The County Chairman" comes here after a phenomenal record-breaking run in all the principal cities of America George Ade has succeeded in producing the play that has long been desired, a straight comedy of absolute cleanliness and devoid of any suggestiveness too often depended upon for the humor of the modern comedy. "The County Chairman" is a picture of country life in the Middle West drawn by a master hand and filled with types so cleverly drawn that we recognize them at a glance. It is a bit of life with all its fun, seriously transferred to the stage and acted by one of the best companies ever seen anywhere. Wm. Chatterton in the title role gives us a strong and altogether effective portrayal of a country leader. The rest of the company is particularly well balanced and combines to make the play one of the most delightful entertainments ever offered The scene is laid in Antioch which stands for any community of the Middle West A good story is well handled and told in most finished style by this splendid company which includes several of the orgiual cast

Death of Father of Rev. J. D. White.

Word was received this morning announcing the death of Rev J D. White's father at Ripley, Miss. Mr. White was with the family at the time, and will not reach here in time to hold services at his church, the Presbyterian U. S. A., Sunday.

Judge Barney will fill his pulpit Sunday morning. You are cordially invited to attend the service.

New State Restaurant
Meals served between the hours of 11:30 and 2 o'clock
Short orders served at all hours
Always the best that the market affords

Notice, Rebeccas!

There will be a meeting of the Rebeccas Saturday night for the installation of officers, when all the members are urged to be present.
261d3t

Farm and garden seeds in bulk, at
263dtf PEARSON & NEIL
Phone 308 Two doors west of Court House

League Program.

The following is the program for the Intermediate League, Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock:

Subject, "For Loves Sake" (Foreign Missionary Society.)
Leader, Miss Maurine Truitt.
Music.
Oral scripture reading.
Song.
Reading of the lesson.
Prayer.
"What is the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society?" by leader.
"Something of the Lives of Three Missionaries," by Misses Luada Hall and Clytie Young and Freddie Gay.
Recitation, Leona Chauncey
Paper, Bryan Wilson.
Solo, Miss Pearl Fain.

WANTS.

Advertising under this head will be charged at following rates;
One insertion, per word.....1c
Additional insertions, per word..1-2c

FOR SALE.

3,500 acres land principally in Pontotoc, Garvin, Coal and Murray counties, for sale on Square-Deal-Terms. Call at Farmers State Bank or News office for particulars.
252d&wtf

FOR SALE—A good milch cow. Call at R. S. Tobin's store. 261d3t

FOR SALE—A scholarship in the Oklahoma Commercial School.
261dtd THE REBECCAS.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Room, hot and cold water. Mrs. Bornett, W, 14th St.
257dtf

FOR RENT—200 acres of prairie land and four houses, four miles north of Roff, and 125 acres of prairie land and good large house two miles east of Roff
J. F. McKEEL,
260d10t Ada, Oklahoma.

Railroads Gain Most.

In the reductions in tax assessments made by J. P. Roetzel, the special state examiner who completed his work in Pontotoc county yesterday evening, the railroads gained the most

In the total reductions, the railroads will save $8,364 00, while on all the other property reduced there is $5,279.00, and a total reduction of taxes of $14,643.00.

The News is indebted to County Clerk Kerr for the above statement.

C. W. Long and R. L. Walker, of Vanoss, are in Ada today.

Notice of Hearing Petition for Appointment of Administrator.

State of Oklahoma, Pontotoc County, in County Court.

In the matter of the estate of George Underwood, deceased.

To the Heirs, Next of Kin, and Creditors of George Underwood, deceased:

You are hereby notified that J. W. Bolen has applied to the County Court of Pontotoc County, State of Oklahoma, for letters of administration on the estate of George Underwood, deceased, to be granted to J. C. Chapman, and that said application will be heard in the Court room of said Court in the City of Ada, in said County, on the 5th day of Feb. 1909, at 1 o'clock p. m., at which time and place any person interested may appear and show cause if any they have why such petition should not be granted.

Witness my hand and the Seal of said Court hereunto affixed this 23rd day of Jan 1909.

JOEL TERRELL,
County Judge.
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Deafness Cannot Be Cured.

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Example of the Workings of the "New England Conscience."

A woman who has spent many summers at Haines' Falls in the Catskills tells the following story:

"A mountain wagon full of summer excursionists stopped at the hotel one morning. They wanted to see the falls 'turned on.' In order to assure a good flow of water there is a sort of lock built above the falls. The lock is always kept closed except when somebody makes application to see the falls; then, on payment of a quarter, the gates are thrown open and a fine flow of water pours forth. The old man who had charge of the falls went out and opened the gates; the visitors were delighted, paid their quarter and drove away. About half an hour later another wagonload drove up to the hotel and asked to see the falls. Again the old man went out and opened the gates; but owing to the previous drain on the water supply the result was far from satisfactory, and the spectators were not enthusiastic. The old man noticed the dissatisfaction of the visitors, and was, perhaps, somewhat conscience stricken, for, when he was offered a quarter to pay for opening the gates, he hesitated a moment, then said:

"'No, it wa'n't worth that much. I *think* there was just 'bout 17 cents' worth that time.'"

CHILD'S CONFIDENCE IN DADDY.

Wanted Papa to Emulate the Historic Act of Moses.

The Sunday school lesson that day had been about Moses leading the children of Israel through the wilderness to the Promised Land, and little Bobby had been particularly impressed by the incident of the prophet striking the rock with his staff and causing the water to gush forth. After Sunday school he took a walk with his father, and could talk of nothing else.

Now, Bobby has an overwhelming respect for his father's prowess, which was not even overshadowed by the remarkable achievement of Moses. He was thoroughly imbued with the idea that there wasn't a thing in the world his father couldn't do if that thing were at all possible of accomplishment. So when they came to a pile of large bowlders, with the Sunday school lesson still uppermost in his mind, he rather startled his father by exclaiming:

"Say, pop, hit a rock. I want a drink!"

Couldn't Place Horace.

"They say that Horace wrote his poems in praise of wine," the school teacher said to the Billville citizen.

"Who? Horace Greeley? Never knowed he writ poetry."

"No, no—the other Horace, who comes from antiquity."

"Never hearn tell of him, n'er the place he come from; but it's my opinion, whoever he wuz, that he had mighty little to do to be wastin' words on wine, when the country has more 100-proof corn licker than it kin consume convenient; but, come ter think of it, the less said 'bout corn, new or old, in the north Georgy region, the better. The blamed ol' government is mighty watchful!"—Atlanta Constitution.

Gratuitous Advice.

A man had sat for some time in a restaurant, looking thoughtfully at his saucer of melting ice cream. At last he left his chair and made his way to the proprietor.

"I see you advertise that you make your own ice cream," he said, in a confidential tone.

"I do, sir," said the proprietor.

"Well," said the man, "would you permit me to give you a little pointer? I won't charge you a cent, and it'll be money in your pocket."

"Glad to hear it, I'm sure," said the proprietor.

"Get somebody else to make it," said the man, in a hoarse whisper.—Youth's Companion.

All in the Mind.

On the opening day of one winter session the late Prof Tait of Edinburgh university entered the natural philosophy classroom in the midst of the uproarous applause common to those occasions.

Presently he looked up at the tumultuous benches above him with the smile of one who had known the ways of students for a lifetime.

At last, when a momentary lull came, he remarked, his gray eyes twinkling:

"Gentlemen, I must remind you that there is really no such thing as noise. It is merely a matter of subjective impression."—Youth's Companion.

Flowers for the Prima Donna.

It is said that the opera stars do not receive as many flowers as formerly. The treasurer of a certain company said to me the other day: "Ten years ago it was nothing for a prima donna to receive in a single night $2,000 or $3,000 worth of flowers. If one of the best gets $500 worth after a great performance nowadays she is mighty lucky. It used to keep most of our ushers busy handing floral pieces over the footlights, or spilling them on the heads of the musicians. One usher can take care of the job now."—N. Y. Press.

The Bird in Hand.

Lonny—Say, let's promise to marry each other when we grow up.

Gracie—Oh, no. I might like somebody else better then.

Lonny—Me, too.

Gracie (hastily)—Oh, yes, let's do promise.

TAKE A PLEASANT THOUGHT TO BED WITH YOU.

Psychologists tell us that the mental processes which are active on retiring continue far into the night. We have all dreamed of continuing an evening's experience during sleep, enjoying again the beautiful songs we have heard. This shows how important it is not to retire to rest in a fit of temper, or in an ugly, unpleasant mood. We should get ourselves into mental harmony, should become serene and quiet before retiring, and, if possible, lie down with a smile on the face, no matter how long it takes to secure this condition. Never retire with a frown on your brow; with a perplexed troubled, vexed expression. Smooth out the wrinkles; drive away all the enemies of your peace of mind, and never allow yourself to go to sleep with an unkind, critical, cruel, jealous thought toward anyone.

It is bad enough to feel inimical toward others when under severe provocation or in a hot temper, but you can not afford to deliberately continue this state of mind after the provocation has ceased. You can not afford to wear and tear upon your nervous system and your health. It takes too much out of you.

Mental discord dries up the spirits, ages us prematurely, shortens life, and ruins our happiness. It does not pay to indulge in violent temper, corroding thoughts, mental discord in any form. Life is too short, too precious, to pe any part of it in such unprofitable, soul-raking health-destroying business.

Be at peace with all the world at least once every twenty-four hours. You cannot afford to allow the enemies of your happiness and your manhood or womanhood to etch their miserable images deeper and deper into your character as you sleep.

Many of us with crotchety, sour dispositions and quick tempers sometimes have very hard work to be decent in our treatment of others. But we can, at least when we are alone, when we get away from people who nettle and antagonize us, smooth out the wrinkles and forget all injuries; we can quit harboring unpleasant thoughts and hard feelings toward others.

It is a great thing to form a habit of forgetting and forgiving at night, of clearing the mind of unhappiness and success enemies. If we have been impulsive, foolish or wicked during the day in our treatment of others; if we have been holding our vicious, ugly revengeful jealous attitude toward others, it is a good time to wipe off the slate and start anew. It is a blesed thing to put into practice Paul's exhortation to the Ephesians: "Let not the sun go down upon your wrath."

It ought to be the deliberate custom in every home to make the evening just as pleasant as possible, and to see to it that no member of the family retires in an unhappy mood. An evening happiness bath, a bath of love and good will toward every living creature, is more important than a water bath.

We should take special pains to erase the memory of all unfortunate experiences of the day, all business or professional troubles and anxieties, in order to retire in a placid, peaceful, harmonious state of mind; not only because of the necessity of rising refreshed and invigorated in the morning, but because the character and the disposition are affected by the condition of the mind upon falling asleep. Mental discords prevent sound sleep and leave poisonous waste in the blood, and this in turn dulls and impairs the brain action.

Many business men suffer so much torture at night that some of them *actually dread to retire because of* the long, tedious wakeful hours. Financial troubles are particularly exaggarated at night, even many optimists suffer more or less from pessimism then.

We should fall asleep in the most cheerful and the happiest possible frame of mind. Our minds should be filled with lofty thoughts—with thoughts of love and of helpfulness—thoughts which will continue to *create that which is helpful and uplifting*, which will refresh the soul and help us to awaken in the morning refreshed and in superb condition for the day's work.

If you have any difficulty in banishing unpleasant or torturing thought, force yourself to read some good, inspiring book—something that will smooth out your wrinkles and put you in a happy mood; something that will make you see the real *grandeur and beauty of life*; something that will make you feel ashamed of petty meanness and narrow, uncharitable thoughts.

After a little practice, you will be surprised to see how quickly and completely you can change your whole mental attitude so that you will face life the right way before you fall asleep.

You will be surprised also to find how serene and calm, how wonderfully refreshed and rejuvinated you will be when you wake in the morning, and how much easier it will be to start right, and wear a smile that won't come off for the day, than it was when you went to bed in an ill-humored, worrying, or ugly mood, or full of ungenerous, uncharitable thoughts.—Success Magazine.

A SUFFICIENT REMEDY.

We used to hear a great deal about depravity, but less is said about it now. Yet there is as much depravity now as there was in former times. Science and culture have not eliminated depravity. Philosophers say nothing about depravity, but they frighten us with the doctrine of heredity. One is a theological term, the other philosophical, but who can tell the difference?

Social reformer tell us that there is evil in the blood. You can not make good men unless you have good blood. Some base people excuse themselves for their wickedness on this ground. They say, "we are not to blame. We were born bad. The law of heredity dooms us."

In reply to all this we may say there is another law stronger than the law of heredity. It is the law of the spirit of life in Christ Jesus. There is another energy superior to the force of depravity. It is the power of Christ. There is another blood more potent than the tainted blood which we inherited from our ancesters. It is the blood of Christ which cleanseth from all sin. One who has been so unfortunate as to be born bad may be born again, born from above, born of God. He had a depraved and degenerate ancestry, but he may have a royal ancestry. He may be the child of a King. One who, through long years of sinful indulgence, has cultivated evil habits until he is fast bound in the fetters of sin and vice may be made free. "If the Son shall make you free, ye shall be free indeed."—Christian Advocate.

PRAYER AND PRAISE.

Human Independence.

Life is so intense, every day so filled with problems to solve and work to be done, that we are in danger of being so absorbed in our own part of it as to totally forget others engaged in as fierce a struggle, facing as hard a day's work, with, perhaps, less strength with which to meet it. To us our work is important and ought to be. The mother must keep the children's clothes whole and clean, the children themselves wholesome and happy. The wife must see that dinner and supper are prepared properly for her husband's eating and that the home is cheery and bright for his coming. But that is not all that is required of a wife and mother. She has neighbors, and the well-being and happiness of their children are also a part of her business; while the chance stranger has claims upon her time and helpfulness.

The merchant hurries to his store, is absorbed all day long with difficult, vexing situations. But the *price of goods, the condition of the* market, the disposal of what will soon be uncalled for, these are not the only issues for his settlement. If he grows weary of the burdens pressing upon him, so do his clerks weary of standing all day waiting on exacting customers; so do customers weary, who, often with but little money, must meet many needs. The nerve-worn buyer, as well as the nerve-worn clerk and merchant, *need the courteous word, the gentle* forbearance of Christian love, the atmosphere of friendliness. In other words, no person is independent; all are interdependent. Each of us, whether we wish it or not, is in some measure dependent on his neighbor, and is in his turn responsible for his neighbor's well-being and comfort.

How many weary hearts are longing, breaking, for the word of sympathy you and I might give were we not too busy with our own affairs to know it is needed! What heartaches could be cured, what difficulties vanquished, what burdens lightened, if we but realized our privilege and utilized it by going about, as did our Lord, doing good! Not ostentatiously, with the blowing of trumpets, calling on all in need to come and partake of our royal bounty; but quietly, in tender, steady, sympathetic love, going about with wide-open eyes, ready hands, ever-present smiles; lifting a little here, comforting a little there, scattering sunshine everywhere; giving those about us what they most crave—leisure in which to listen to their woes, in which to touch them with our warm human hands! O that we might learn the divine art of making whole!

DEMOCRATS OPPOSE REPUBLICAN AGREEMENT

Washington, Jan. 28.—Republican leaders have reached an agreement as to the Brownsville imbroglio that is satisfactory both to the president and Senator Foraker. It provides, in brief, for the appointment of a commission of five army officers, none of whom is to be below the rank of colonel. All negroes from the discharged troops desiring to be reenlisted must apply to this board and be subjected to an examination. Such as prove themselves innocent of any knowledge of the Brownsville shooting will be recommended for re-enlistment, the final decision to be made by the secretary of war. Pay from the date of their discharge is to be given to such as are re-enlisted by this process.

Democrats Not Satisfied.

The Democrats were first appraised of this agreement this afternoon by Senator Aldrich, who brought a rough draft of the proposed legislation to their cloak room. Senator Aldrich apparently thought it would be satisfactory to them. In this assumption he was wrong. Almost immediately the Democrats declared the effect of it would be to condone an atrocious crime, for they declared that it was hardly conceivable that there was a single one of the discharged troops who could not, if he would, give some information that would lead to the discovery of the men who actually did the shooting. They asserted that while perhaps only a few did the shooting, all of them had made themselves accessories after the fact, and, that inasmuch as the agreement itself tacitly admitted that the shooting was done by the troops, it would be wrong to extend mercy to any who had shielded them. The Democrats made it plain that they would resist any effort to pass such a measure, and undoubtedly they could make their resistence effectual during this session at least. It is doubtful, under these circumstances, if the Republicans will press the measure, though they had imagined when they agreed among themselves that it could be put through without opposition.

Vexes Republicans.

The whole matter has been a vexatious one to the Republicans. That is one reason of their eagerness to be rid of it. But they have a further incentive in the feeling that as the matter stands now it is a constant source of danger to some of them. It is said that the election of a Democratic Legislature in Indiana was due somewhat to the resentment of the negroes. Besides, it is felt that when the negroes shall finally come to the conclusion that nothing is to be done to repair what they regard as an injustice, they will then vent their anger. The agreement among the Republicans, therefore, is prompted largely by considerations of political expedience.

As to the agreement between the president and Senator Foraker, it is as has been said tacitly admitted that the shooting was done by the negroes. To that extent Senator Foraker yields. But he believes that none of them can be convicted either of having done the shooting or of having knowledge of it. Certainly the great efforts the president has already made have convinced no one but himself as to who were the ones who did the shooting, and Senator Foraker believes that the proceeding proposed would result in the re-enlistment of nearly, if not quite all, of them.

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Christian Church

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Sunday School at 10 a. m., L. T. Walters, superintendent

Ladies Aid meets first and third Wednesdays and C. W. B. M. first Thursday in each month. Prayermeeting every Wednesday evening at 7:30.

First Presbyterian Church.

Services every Sunday morning at 11 and evening at 7:30. Rev. W. T. Ahrenbeck, pastor.

Sunday School at 9:45 a. m., J. T. Higgins, superintendent. Prayermeeting every Wednesday evening at 7:30. Ladies Aid Society meets every other Wednesday.

Presbyterian Church.

Services Sunday morning at 11 J. D. White, pastor.

Sunday School at 9:45. Orville Sneed, superintendent. Junior Endeavor society meets every Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Ladies Aid Society meets every Monday afternoon at 2:30.

First Methodist Church.

Services Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and Sunday evening at 7:30 Rev. W. M. Wilson, pastor.

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